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Previous references.

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Son 31-24 Sls 1-5+8.

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Later references.

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" 41-26 (6-21, 23, 24, 27, 28
29, 35, 36)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

9-12-6.

Serial Nos. Therefore (32)

Part B for April 1926

SUBJECT

Applications for Reconduct of the "Ar Rasadaka Pabrike".

Sls3 From The Asst Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

No 6680. — 21-3-1926
S. H. Fry.

Acknowledges Receipt of one sealed cover said to contain an agreement executed by one Hareramath Kaiya Gowda, Editor of Vokkaligara Pabrike, re: Publication of "Ar Rasadaka Pabrike" for safe custody, (Register No 383).

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For Ans. & Acquaint.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Gm)

NOTES.

File No. 31-24

FILE HEADING.

Applications for the Conduct of the Artha Sadhaka patrike

From

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya. Editor of "Sadhvi"

No. Dated 10.11.24 Received 11.11.24

Diary No. 2223	Enclos. — Spare Copies. —	Serial No. 7

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

States that Sadhvi has for many years been doing the duty of Artha Sadhaka patrike & requests that 2000 copies of the same may be purchased as Artha Sadhaka patrike has ceased to Exist.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The Editor does not say if he is prepared to issue an Economic Journal in Kannada & proposes that the encouragement given to Artha Sadhaka patrike may be given to his paper "Sadhvi" by purchasing 2000 copies

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 31 of 1924

As per orders of The Asst. Secretary another file, a separate file is opened for this

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(2) Draft for approval ...

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(3) This is a request for patronage to the Sadhvi. The Editor may be informed that it is not proposed to discontinue the Arthasadhaka Patrike and that his request that 2000 copies of his paper be purchased cannot be granted.

(4) For orders.

22/11

Ch. Secy)

5 ... for perusal. This may be considered along with the applications that may be received re. Arthasadhakapatrike.

24/11/24

650 24.11

2nd Member)

24/11/24

6 I agree

7 Meanwhile a communication may be sent to Mr Venkatakrishnaiya enquiring if his letter may be taken as sent in response to the G.O. of 1st Nov. 24 calling for applications from persons who are willing to undertake the publication of an Economic Journal in Kannada & if it is his intention to convert his paper the Sadhvi into a purely Economic Journal. If his application for the patronage to first reach with their approval

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& Subs with a draft as discussed in para 7.

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[illegible] en Kata Krishnaiya - -
G. 3777 of 28.11.1924.
[illegible] if it is his intention [illegible] into force on [illegible] passed -

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	of the same. If appd, he will be allowed to submit another appn, if he is prepared to remit the papers as directed.
10	Application from Mr Hanumanta Rao, Editor of the Economic Journal expressing his willingness to remit the paper on certain terms. (10) (Vide the sealed Cover)
11	Letter dt 12.11.24 from the Editor, Bukkalingamabhike expressing his desire to remit the Arthika Sastra Patrike subject to the conditions set forth therein.
12	Letter No 1242 dt 13.11.24 from Messrs V.B. Soobbiah & Sons requesting that information on the points referred to therein may kindly be furnished. (11) (1) Points on which information is solicited by Messrs V.B. Soobbiah & Sons are as follows:— (1) If the Journal is to be a weekly or monthly publication (2) Whether the publication is to be in a book form or in a newspaper form (3) What the annual Subscription of the ~~same~~ Journal is. (2) orders of the Asst Secretary against points 1 and 2:— (12) Proposals on these points also

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Dike be considered.

2. Against the 3rd point raised by the Diwan, orders of the Asst. Secy are :-

13 This is not fixed by Govt they may suggest any reasonable rate for the magazine or paper they propose to conduct.

14 for. ptr.

15 Draft Y.V. 21/11

Opn in circulated is 5 Rs. Also vide the first letter in the file dy 29 Draft of a letter to the Editor of Sadhvi is also put up.

16 for orders

21/11 17 Please make a clean copy of draft as revised.

18 Deal with the Sadhvi letter in a separate file

Mrs 21/11

19 Clean copy of the draft is ready is put up for signature. The Sadhvi letter is [illegible] file with a copy.

20 Draft for approval

Dw 22/11

21 Mrk

24/11

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No. 14

Letter no 335 of 19.11.24 from the Editor of Satyavadi, Channarajapatna Agrahara Mysore requesting information in respect of the terms for the publication of the Arthasastrakalpalatike

(1) Submitted a note for orders.

21/11

(2) For orders

Tel 21/11

(3) Please put up a clean copy of draft received today

Rev 24/11

22 Fair draft returned in para 3 is sd.

24/11 Tel 25.11

23 Draft rep[ly] sd for appl

Rev 25/11

Sec Member)

24 Appl[n] was rejected on grounds

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25 Done

Rev 1/12

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Serial No. 15

Letter of 21-11-24 from Mr. Nc-Shama Rao, the President of the Propagandish Co-operative Society Kanpalore suggesting that the publication of the Economic journal in Kanara be entrusted to the Society refd to for reasons set forth therein.

2b The President of the Society suggests that it is desirable to entrust the publication of the work to a body of public workers in stead of to individuals.

Subd

22/11 27 Await other communications.

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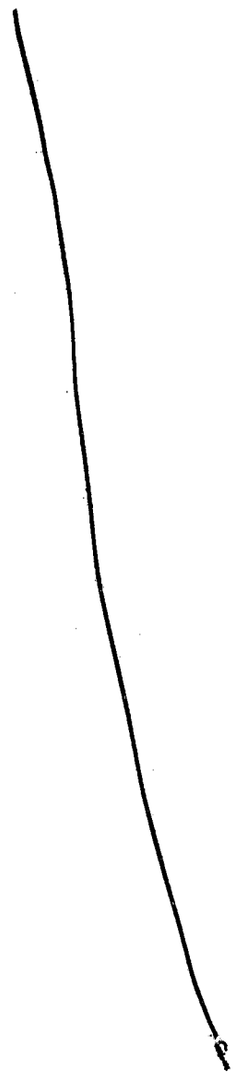

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Letter dt. 15.11.24 from Messrs A. M. Bernard and Joseph, 71, Veeranna's Garden, Cleveland Town Bangalore requesting information regarding the facilities and privileges proposed to be given to the publications of the Archaeological Dept.

28 orders of issue asking Secretary to the letter.

29 " Send a copy of G.O. and say they may send their proposals.

30 Dft. accordingly submitted

M 19/11

31 Issue

JBR 19/11

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17 To ... 19/11

Messrs A.M. Bernard & Joseph — G. 3661 of 24.11.24 — Forwarded a Cpy of G.O. dated the 1st Nov 1924.

Put this in the big file.

NW 29/11

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Gen. File No. 31 of 1924

Serial No.

To

18 Messrs. V. B. Lobbiah & Sons

G 3671 dt 24.11.1924

States that the question whether the journal should be a weekly or monthly are for consideration after all the proposals are received

20 Application dt 25.11.24 from the Editor of the Mysore Chronicle offering himself as a candidate to conduct the Arkasadhakabhaka

21 Letter dt 25.11.24 from Messrs Barnard & Joseph Shatrup their willingness to conduct the paper on terms referred to in Mysore dt 21st Nov 1924. & requesting favourable Concessions

23 No 280 dt 22.11.24 from the Proprietor of the Royal Press Mysore

24 Letter dt 28.11.24 from Mr. B. Ramachandra 45 Hospital Road Bangalore City

32 Remarks of the Chief Secretary thereon.

33 I think this is a retired 1st Division Clerk of the Secretariat.

25 Application dt 28.11.24 from Mr. K. Rama Iyengar C/o Mr. K. Lakshmana Iyengar, Pleader, Nanjangud.

N.22 vide page 23.

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GRS Ltd.

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Application dt 27. 11. 26 from Mr. G. A. Jogar M.A. Submitting proposals to form Sri Ramakrishna Institute. 28

Application dt 27. 11. 26 from Messrs. B. Osman Khan & Sons 29
Malabar Hall, Avenue Road, Bangalore City.

Application dt 29. 11. 26 from The Editor and Publisher of New Mysore & also the Proprietor of the 28
South Indian Advertising Agency.

Application dt 29. 11. 26 from Mr C. Nagappa 29
Advocate and Joint Manager of the
Mysore Law Journal.

Application dt 27. 11. 26 from
the Proprietor of Kalkandarai Press 30
Mysore -

Application dt 29. 11. 26 from Mrs.
K. [illegible]; Kamala 31
Pandit London Mission High
School Bangalore -

Application dt 28. 11. 26 from 32
Mr K. Shivarao Head Clerk Chickballapur.

Letter dt 29. 11. 26 from Mrs. T. T. 33
[illegible] Ward from Edward
Temple Street Bangalore City -

Letter dt 29. 11. 26 from the Professor
Sri Ram Ashram [illegible] 34.

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35 Application dt 29.11.24 from Sri M. Venkatadri Sastri No 31. Chickpet Bangalore city stating his willingness to contract. The Arthasastra & Rakshe on terms set forth therein.

36 Letter No 12518 dt 28.11.24 from Messrs V. B. Subbiah & Sons furnishing information on certain points refd to therein

37 Letter No 39499 dt 1.12.24 to the Editor of Satyavadi Chamarajapet requesting information required by him

38 Application dt 29.11.24 from Mrs. Thirumalayiah requesting certain information about the steward of the Arthasastra Rakshe.

34 In all there are 21 applicants. Of these, the Editor of Satyavadi pays for some information which has been furnished to him - Vide sl 37.

Further Communication from him, if any, will be separately noted in Continuation.

35 Another applicant (Vide sl 32). Mr. K. Bhima Rao Pleader, Chickballapur wishes to know before hand the number of copies Govt would subscribe for. As this is not fixed, it is submitted that at this stage

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it is not possible to write to him about it.

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36 The file containing G.O. no. G 3156/Gen 31-24-6 dt 1.11.24 is taken for an Interpellation question about the Contents of the Artha Sastraka Patrike by the Previous Editor, Mr. D. V. Gundappa ~~is not forth coming~~.

37 A list of applicants is put up - Vide para 4 -

No proposals are put forth by the applicants in Sls in 9 & 15. & their terms are not known.

38 Applicants in sls 10, 11, 12, & 26 28 & 35 have put forth their terms. Of these the applicant in sl 26 viz Mr. G. R. Joyce M.A., proposes to issue it as a monthly journal at an annual subscription of not exceeding Rs 3/- As seen from para 2 of his letter (sl 26) he does not insist on the purchase of a fixed number of Copies by Govt.

Subd. 39 Please put up a draft SH as below:

(1) Applct's Name
(2) " qualification as appearing in the applns (3) Whether he proposes to issue it as a weekly or monthly (4) The rates proposed (5) How many copies

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Remarks to be subscribed for:

Rec 3/12

Reminder wlc × Hagp. 60 Subs: with a typed statement as directed.

11/5/12 TSG

Readers.

(42) Messrs Hayavadana Rao, Hanumantha Rao, K Rangarangan & C Balai, have experience as journalists and have the qualifications for running a journal of this sort more or less.

(43) Messrs Venkatakrishnaya, V Boobia, M.S. Krishnadas & B Ummiah Khan are and were doing some journal work but it cannot be said that they are likely to make an Authors Guild patrika very successful. Mr Venkatakrishnaya is very old now and it would be a pity to put him to such heavy work as running an Economic journal in Kannada.

(44) Messrs M.S Hanumantha Rao, G.R Joyer & T.T Shanmuga, C Nagappa, & Tirunarayanan are fairly well acquainted with modern ideas. Mr Shanmuga Rao's Institute is however mostly concerned with Co-operation. Mr C Nagappa is a practising advocate. Mr Tirunarayanan's journal was a fairly good journal. Mr G R Joyer is however undoubtedly in the best position to make

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good as he is an ARISTE.

4) The other applicants would not find it easy to run an Economic Journal in Kannada or even if they would anyway good purpose.

(5) Mr Hariprasad and Rao of these others first mentioned above and messrs Gopal Joyce and these others mentioned after in may any of them be able to run the journal fairly well.

(6) Of these Mr Hariprasad and Rao has the greatest facility for running the Kannada Economic Journal as he has the English Journal already and with a little additional staff he will be able to provide for the Kannada Journal the matter he now gets ready for the English Journal. Mr Joyce has not the same facilities but as a student of Economics has perhaps more qualification for handling economic subjects.

MW 6/12

(Sd) [illegible]

(7) I wish to add that in my opinion a monthly journal is not likely to be of much use so far as the people in Mysore are concerned, if lengthy intervals are to be created. Not more than at least a fortnight, if possible a week

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49 Of the several applications, I think that any one with considerable claims is Mr V Venkatachariar

2 " Thyagarajachariar

3 " Ramanujachariar

4 ~~Thyagi~~ S R Iyer

50 The other applicants are Ecclesiastical persons ~~of the~~ without sufficient experience & capacity, & their terms are not in accordance with the rules governing

51 Of the 4 persons mentioned, I am inclined to give a trial to Mr Iyer of the Ramnad Service who is doing the work & should conduct the paper (~~if~~ without fear or favour & meet all the expenses) with the satisfaction with any the functions of a certain no. of copies of this.

52 Next after him I would ~~suggest~~ recommend the application of Mr V Venkatachariar, provided he gives an assurance that the paper will deal only with Economic & Social questions & not with Controversial Ecclesiastical matters

53 Whatever appl ~~shall~~ may be selected, I think that it should be made a condition that the paper should be at least a weekly one & that the no. & copies of the publication should be fixed by the ~~Govt~~ Govt in respect of them

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Subject. - 6

Applications in connection wit
the publication of an Economic Journal
in Kannada.

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OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

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Sig Ag Secretary as the Govt cannot meet
the Secretary for Rev. Hammond Lefroy and
Sig R Rogers should talk with them in respect
of their appn. I would like to speak to Mr Kaye
Cregeen also but cannot with do so, as he does
not come to me on this. as he has agreed to
do

Sig Mr Hammond Lefroy (Editor of Weekly Courier)
Sig prepared to undertake the publication of Economic Journal on
Kenyan as the following terms

i the Journal will be a weekly one.

ii Contain Sig 8 pp (inclusive) advertisements

iii the annual subn will be Rs 24/- or Rs 3/- per annum

iii Govt to subscribe for as least 600 copies:

ii Officers of Govt to endeavour to help the Journal with contributions as far as possible

i Govt advertisements to be sent to the Journal

vi The Journal will be entirely non-official & with views not bound by Govt. Editorial, Industrial & Commercial, correspondence, Local & General matters &c

Sig Mr E. R Rogers also prepared to undertake the publication of the Journal on almost similar terms with the exception that he wants Govt to subscribe for 1000 copies or at least 700 copies in the first instance

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Extract from the Proceedings of the 722nd *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 8th January 1925. *19*

127. Subject. - Clause xii of the schedule.

Applications in connection with the publication of an Economic Journal in Kannada.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

The publication may be entrusted to Mr. Hanumantha Gowda on the terms recorded in the Second Member's minute dated 7th January 1925 for a term of one year.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI.

Dewan of Mysore.

"EXTRACT"

Chief Secretary to Government.

Sent to 2nd Member for formal note

WD 1471—GPB—2,000—1-3-21

Formal note by new Member is placed below

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S. N. Subd. Dewan

14.1.25

DEWAN'S OFFICE,
RECD. ON 14 JAN. 1925
No. 507

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AN EARLY
(For Disposal at ~~a~~ Meeting)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

SUBJECT.

(Clause xii ~~(b)~~ of the schedule)

Applications in connection with the publication of an Economic Journal in Kannada.

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

11th December 1924.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Extraordinary Member of Council.

First Member of Council.

Second Member of Council.

Third Member of Council.

Final Note by the Second Member of Council

23

Subject:—

Arrangements for the management of the Arthasadhaka Patrika.

The work of editing and publishing the Arthasadhaka Patrika had, under circumstances explained in the Dewan's Sibmission Note dated 20th September 1922, been entrusted to Mr. D.V. Gundappa, editor of the "Karnataka" and "Indian Review of Reviews", on certain conditions for a period of 3 years from 1st January 1923, a subvention of Rs.3,500 being ordered to be paid to him for the first year and Rs.3,000 for the second and third years./Mr.Gundappa The management of the journal by having, however, been found to be unsatisfactory, in-as-much-as it had been practically converted into a literary instead of an - - economic journal even which was not being brought out regularly, Mr. Gundappa's attention was drawn to it; and as agreed to by him, the contract with him was terminated with effect from 1st March 1924, under Government Order No. G.1683-736/G.M.31-24-4 dated 1st September 1924. An application dated 30th July 1924 having thereupon ~~fore~~ been received from Mr. G.R. Josyer, M.A.,F.R.C.S. offering to take up the publication of the journal on terms similar to those on which it had been entrusted to Mr. Gundappa, I noted thereon as follows in my minute dated 18th September 1924:-

"I am not in favour of the grant of an annual lumpsum subvention to Mr. Josyer as was given to Mr. Gundappa, as the arrangement is beset with practical difficulties in working and as it is also likely to be adversely criticised by the public.

"If it is considered necessary that a good Kannada periodical dealing chiefly with economic questions should be brought into existence, its publication may either be undertaken by Government itself in the same way as the

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Mysore Blue Book and Publicity Journal and under the supervision and management of the editor of the journal or it may be entrusted to any private individual who may be willing to undertake it on the same terms as the English Economic Journal i.e. the Government are only to subscribe for a certain number of copies and not give any grant by way of subvention.

"Applications on these terms may be invited if necessary."

The Dewan having agreed to the above proposals, applications were invited and in response, tenders have been received from 21 persons offering to take up the work on conditions noted in the statement placed in the file. In view of the fact that there is a great need for an economic journal in Kannada for spreading among the people knowledge of economic matters and that private journalists cannot, under present conditions, be expected to take up the publication of such a journal without substantial aid from Government, after a careful consideration of the terms offered by and the qualifications of the several applicants, I recorded it as my opinion in my minute dated 7th January 1925 that the work of editing and publishing the Arthasadhaka Patrika might be entrusted on trial for a period of one year to Mr. B. Hanumantha Gowda, editor of the Vokkaligara Patrika (a Kannada weekly published at the Bangalore City having wide circulation) on the following terms which were agreed to by him personally before me:-

(1) The journal to be a weekly one (instead of a monthly one as hitherto) and have at least 8 pages (including advertisements).

(2) The annual subscription to be Rs.2-8-0 or Rs.3.

(3) Government to subscribe for 500 copies.

(4) Officers of Government to be instructed to help the journal by contributing articles, as far as possible.

(5) Government advertisement to be sent to the journal in the same way as to other newspapers.

(6) The journal should be non-political and deal only with

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economic matters relating to agriculture, education, industries and commerce, co-operation, civil and social progress &c.

The question was discussed at the meeting of the Council on the 8th instant when it was resolved that the publication of the journal might be entrusted to Mr. B. Hanumantha Gowda on the terms specified above for a term of one year.

The resolution of the Council may be graciously approved.

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

14/1

14-1-1925.

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Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the Second *Member of Council on the subject of* Arrangements for the management of the Arthasadhaka Patrika,

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for His Highness' gracious approval.

Dewan.

16 JAN 1925

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Arrangements for the management of Arthasadhaka Patrika.

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Order.

KRW

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Chief Sec.

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Application in Connection with the publication of an Economic journal in Kannada

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to the Members of Council for perusal of

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His Highness' orders $\frac{\text{before}}{\text{after}}$ issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

B Ramachandra

Chief Secretary to Govt.

Through the Secretary to Government,

.....Department.

5900 22/1

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 22/1

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. Dropped as my Secretary has gone on leave 22/1

THIRD MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Asst Secy, G. M. 22-1-25

Bordt early one 24

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Mono WD 1335—GPB—500—16-1-23.

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62 Draft Subs ~~Recd & proceed~~ Rely ~~proceed~~ as revised
24.1.25 Recd 26/1

~~Ch Secy~~ 63 Typed draft Subd
~~Recd~~ 26.1.25 26/1

64 Addl Secy submits for approval. Rules 2 and 3 are for noes.
Recd 26/1
Ch Secy

2nd member 27.1.25 Recd 27/1

65 Draft revised & approved
28/1
(27)

66 Recd 27.1.25
Recd 28/1

43 To
The Heads of Depts
" Comptroller to Govt.
" Secretaries to Govt.
" D. C's of Districts
" The Secretary Ex. Secy Board
G. 5778-832-25 29.1.25

Entrusts the work of editing & publishing the Arthasastra of Kautilya to Mr Ganapathi Sastri Subject to certain conditions

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Secret Files

x Flag A.

Vide para 3 of G-O. x of 30. 1. 25
in 22/43. As directed therein the T.
H Commissioner Gonda has been
requested to execute an agreement
under the terms referred to in the order.

D/F regarding him to execute
the agreement as noted

M 62.

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Letter no 2 of 6.2.25 from Mr. B. Hanumantaiya Gowda, Cotton pet Bangalore city forwarding the draft of an agreement for perusal and necessary correction.

vslag

6) Vide para 3 of G.O no G.S. 778-832 Gen 31-24-8 of 29/30.2.25, Mr. B. Hanumantaiya Gowda has to execute the agreement, the draft of which is now received.

6a Vide the stipulation no 1 in the Off. agreement - It is stated that in place of "handed over" "entrusted" is necessary - similarly before the words begin next with effect from etc), "for a period of one year" is perhaps needed.

6b It is also stated that any the stipulation The infringement of any of these terms will lead to the termination of the Contract at the option of Govt.

As regards the correctness of the Off. agreement, perhaps the Govt Advocate may also be consulted.

KJ 7/2

6a Submitted for orders

KJ/2 7/2 Put up the agreement with Mr D.V. Gundappa

7.2.

Gen 7/2

7/2

The agreement referred to is unsealed cover in page 32 of G.M. 31-24-8. Vide flag K.

Typed agreement as per instructions is perused.

Kd/2

Submitted

K/2 9/2. 7.3 A revised draft of

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the agreement adopting the forms on which Mr D.C. Gunadasa appointed executes his agreement is prepared and put up for consideration.

76 The L.F.F. Secy may be requested to consider if this is suitable.

25/2 If this form is approved the Addl will be asked to execute the agreement on a Rs 1/- stamped paper

Mw 11/2

(Sgd) L.H.de S.
with Compliments

76 The draft agreement seems to be suitable & may be accepted.

Chief Sec's 2nd Asst (compld)

25/2 Mw 23/2

Necessary steps may be taken to have the agreement executed.

25.2.25

for Secy

Bor d/t Mw 4/3

The draft in the file is approved by the Chief Secretary. Secy

That issue

25/2 RBS 25/2.

Yes Mw 25/2

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9th) The Editor came to me yesterday & said he would be here on Monday as he had some other engagement to-day. TOR 7/3

9) The Stamped paper is placed on the file. May the deed be got typed in accordance with the draft deed dated on file in the meanwhile

This may be done & the paper got ready for signature on Monday the 9th TOR 7/3

Mr Gee 7/3

nal instructions of the Chief Secy, the Editor to-day has been told to go over to the Office Saturday when the agreement would be got stamped paper received

Secy desires to know whether as suggested in agreement, he should himself be a party thereto or if he can authorise the A/S in his Signature to the agreement

so work up & resubmit soon so that the agreement had ready before next Saturday.

TOR 28/2.

Secretary's agreement with Mr [illegible] was executed between Sir Ee. Dorabji as representing Govt & Editor dated do.

The Economic Office has been placed on a permanent footing as a Secretary to which appointment the file may be dated to him to have the agreement drawn up between himself and the present Editor, Mr. S. Hallett with Govt's sanction

87 It seems to be immaterial whether the Chief Secy signs the agreement or the Asst Secy does it for him

Mr 4/3 NOTE+Contn. Sheet

The Asst Secy may kindly take the further necessary action

TOR 3/3

87 Put up with draft where the Govt's approval (Chief's) Mr 6/3/25 7/3

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Sealed as directed in para 89 - The deed is duly executed - Sealed for perusal. After perusal of the file, the document will be put in a sealed cover and sent over to the Custody of the Treasury Officer as advised.

Sealed for perusal.

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Sealed for perusal.

14/3/25

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Treasury Officer Phalakhya: Jaipur

Forwarded on 21.3.25

Documents for safe custody a sealed cover containing the agreement

It is seen there from that Safe Custody Register No. is 383.

for perusal

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2.IV.24

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List of applicants

(38)

Sl 9. Mr M. Venkata Krishnaiya. Proprietor. Sadhvi office

Sl 10. " C. Narayanarao. Editor. Economic journal.

Sl 11. " B. Hanumanthaiya Gowda " Vokkaliga Patrika

Sl 12 Messrs V. B. Soobbiah & Sons, Printers, Bookbinders etc. Avenue Road Bangalore city.

Sl 14. The Editor of Satyavadi - Information regd by him is furnished & further regd him is awaited.

Sl 15. Mr M. Shamarao M.A. President - Prop agandist Co-operative Society.

Sls 16 & 21. Messrs A-M-Bernard & Joseph - 71. Veeranna's Garden Cleveland Town - Bangalore. | They say that contribution contained in the G.O. refd to brie not encourage them to stand as one of the applicants.

Sl 20 Mr K. Ranga Iyengar Editor of the Mysore Chronicle.

Sl 23. Proprietor of the Royal Press -

Sl 24. Mr B. Ramachariya - 45 Hospital Road Bangalore city.

Sl 25 Mr K. Rama Iyengar C/o K. Lakshmana Iyengar Pleader. Kanjanpet.

Sl 26. " G-R. Tofler M-A. [He proposes to fix the annual subscription at a rate not exceeding Rs 3/- so as to make it within the easy reach of students that they may purchase a certain number of copies.]

Sl 27 Messrs B. Osman Khan & Sons, Maharaja Stall. Avenue Road Bangalore city.

Sl 28. The Editor & Publisher of New Mysore.

Sl 29 - Mr C. Nagappa - Advocate & Joint Manager, the Mysore Law Journal. Bangalore city

Sl 30 The Proprietor of Kothandram Press, Sankhpet Mysore

Al 31. L. Hanumanthacar - Kannada Pandit
London Mission [illegible]

Al 32. G. Srinivasa Pleader, Chicacole after - Chicacole.
Requests beforehand the number of Copies
that Govt would subscribe for J.

Al 33. Mr. T. T. Narasu - 44. Kasiviswesvara
Temple Street - T

Al 35. M. Venkatasi Sastri 31. Chicacole. Kannada
[illegible] C/o M. Narasa [illegible]
[illegible] Street
20 applicants
in all 31. Albadas Chatram
Road Bangalore
City

K. Rangaiengar, B. A., L. B.
ADVOCATE.

TUMKUR.

Date 8. 12. 1924

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Most respected Sir,

Perhaps a letter from me might upset you a little as coming for at an unknown time although from a known quarter. You might know that I fell into public work because the public gave me here. Since you were the deputy commissioner here I am not long to many taken up the task, although this walk of life has almost crippled me a bit financially: Anyhow I am still of hope that the public life I inspire has a great future.

Last time when I wanted the Adhikara Patrike the Government private enterprise I made an application, but since I was to take over application was not heeded now again I have applied for it I have a great mind to devote myself to journalism and develop the professional to it perfection In case I am given the Patrike as were given to the Dy. Commissioner,

I like the bracelet it is a success.
I understand that you have
an effective Voice in settling
the matter: I shall feel highly
obliged if you can use your
influence.

In case I am given an interview
I would explain how the time on
both I would like to purchase it.
Begging the favor of this

Yours
Respectfully

Bangalore 14.12.24

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Dear Mr. Rangachariar,

I am in receipt of your letter of even date re the Arthasadhakapatrika. I shall be glad to see you either in my house or in the office, whichever may be convenient to you and talk over the matter with you as desired by you

Yours Sincerely

So. K. R. Srinivasaiengar

TUMKUR.

Rangalengar, B. A, L. L. B.,
ADVOCATE.

Date 21. 12 1924

Dear Sir,

I thank you very much for your very sympathetic letter: I should have come up at once to have a personal interview in the matter, but for the Christmas holidays coming up I write hoping to pay my respects to you during the 1st week of January. Thanking you once again for your sympathies

I remain
Dear Sir
Yours faithfully
V Rangalengar

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Bangalore 24th Dec. 924

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Dear Shamaka,

Wile you kindly let me know when I may expect the further communication which you told me the other day that you would send me about your undertaking the publication of the Economic journal in Kannada on the terms recently approved by Government? i.e. that Govt. are only to subscribe for a certain number of copies and are not to give any other financial help

Lots of kisses ?

Yours sincerely

(Sd.) M. R. Srinivasaiengar.

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THE MYSORE CO-OPERATIVE PROPAGANDIST INSTITUTE, BANGALORE.

No. 1, Albert Victor Road,
Chamarajapet, Bangalore City.
26th December 1924.

Dear Mr. Srinivasa Iyengar,

Your letter of the 24th instant relating to the Kannada Artha Sadhaka Patrika. I owe you an apology for not writing to you earlier as we did not want to stand in the way of private individuals if they could satisfy Government as to their resources to conduct the journal in question in an efficient manner. However, I may say that the newly started Mysore Co-operative Propagandist Institute works directly under the supervision of a Government Department, namely, that of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, and I may also give you my personal assurance that the members forming the Governing Body, as noted in the enclosed list, are actuated by no desire to make any profit out of the concern. On the other hand, they wish to make the help received from Government go as far as possible, with their own resources, in improving the journal and conducting it on proper lines. It is their desire also to explain the underlying policy of Government in initiating administrative measures or legislative bills or financial proposals. For want of such preliminary explanation, I need not say how much extra burden now falls on the shoulders of Government to meet criticisms which are found after discussion not to apply to them, whether in the Legislative Council, Representative Assembly or elsewhere. The Governing Body will try their best, as I have already said to work in unison with the wishes of Government, and personally also I give my assurance on all these points.

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As regards the nature of help from Government I find that the data on which we can make any calculation are meagre and very unsatisfactory. I quite appreciate the arrangement by which Government will take a certain number of copies and leave the rest to those responsible for the conduct of the journal. This will no doubt be a satisfactory arrangement after some time when the journal is able to enlist a fair amount of popular support. As it is well known, a Kannada journal does not stand on the same footing as an English journal. The latter will appeal not only to the people of the Mysore State but also to those of British India and even outside, while the former can only depend for support on those living in the Mysore State and perhaps a few others living in the outside Kannada Country. The first year will, therefore, be occupied in enlisting such support and it is difficult to foresee immediately the volume of such support that can be enlisted. I would, therefore, say that for the first year the same lump-sum grant as was being given to Mr. Gundappa may be given to the Propagandist Institute and the arrangement allowed to continue till the end of June 1926. Early in January 1926 the Propagandist Institute will be prepared to place before Government what support they have received from the public to enable Government to revise the arrangement, as may be necessary so that it may come into force from the beginning of the following official year.

If this arrangement is acceptable to Government, early orders may be passed handing over the Artha Sadhaka Patrika to the Institute.

We require no payment of money in advance. It is

enough if payment is made at the end of every quarter on our bills countersigned by the Chief Secretary or any other Officer that Government may be pleased to nominate.

Yours sincerely,

W. Shaw Rao.

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Members of the Governing Body of the Mysore Co-operative Propagandist Institute, Bangalore.

Rao Bahadur M. Shama Rao, Esq., M.A.
President.

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1. Beli Seshagiri Rao.
2. Saligram Narayana Rao, Retd. Assistant Commissioner.
3. Adam Shareff, Retired Station Master.
4. M. L. Shama Gowda.
5. B. Puttaiya, Superintendent, Government Printing.
6. C. Krishna Murthy, Advocate.
7. C. B. Rama Rao. (Dr)
8. B.K. Narayana Rao, Optholmic Hospital.
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10. D. Venkataramayya, Retired Circle Inspector.
11. B.N. Vijaya Deva.
12. H.N. Venkataramanaiya. Retd Dy Inspector of Schools
13. Sumpathkumaran, M.A., Professor
14. V. Iyaswamy Iyer. Retd Supdg. Engr
15. M. G. Sreenivasa Rao. Professor
16. S. Puttanna, Contractor.
17. J. R. Isaac Y.M. C. A.
18. C. Hayavadana Rao. Editor, English Economic Journal
19. Sultan Mohiyuddin, Assistant Inspector General of Education.
20. Modur Lakshminaranaiya.

Statement showing names &c., of applicants for conducting the "Arthasadhakapatrika".

1 Applicant's name.	2 Qualifications as appearing in the application.	3 Whether the applicant proposes to run it as a weekly or a monthly.	4 The rate of subscription proposed.	5 The number of copies the applicant wishes to be subscribed for.	6 Other items referred to in the application.	7 Remarks.
I.(Serials 9 & 34) Mr.M.Venkata-krishnaiya	Proprietor, Krishnaraja Vani Vilasa Press and the Sadhvi.	--	--	He first proposed the purchase of 2 thousand copies of Sadhvi. (Rate of subscription of which is Rs.3/- per annum. The total amount is Rs.6,000 per annum for 2,000 copies.)	Proposes to convert the Sadhvi into the Sadhvi Arthasadhaka Patrike or to issue a separate Kannada journal.	
II.(Serial 10) Mr.C.Hayavadana Rao	B.A., B.L. (Editor, Mysore Economic Journal) The paper was originally started by him.	--	Rs.6 per annum.	500 copies to be purchased every year for at least 5 years.i.e. Rs.3,000 per annum.	Requests the absolute transfer of the journal Requests an initial grant for the purchase of office requisits. Proposes Govt.advertisements to be sent to the journal.	
III.(Serial 11) Mr.D.Hanumanthia Gowda,	Editor of Vokkaligara Patrike. Possesses good experience in the journalistic line.	Weekly	Roughly Rs.5/-(taking into consideration his proposal for the	Rs.2500/- in advance every year for 500 copies of the journal or Rs.3000/- for 1000 copies.	Requests permission to send paper on service within the state. Proposes the contract to last for 5 years.	

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VIII.(Serial 20) Mr.K.Rangiengar ~~xxxxx~~,	B.A.,LL.B., Advocate The Editor of the Mysore Chronicle	--	---	Says he is agreeable to take it up on the same terms as were offered to Mr.Gundappa (Rs.3500/- for the 1st year and for the succeeding years Rs.3000 per annum. He requests also the supply of furniture Etc.	
IX. (Serial 23) Mr.B.V.Narasim-Iyengar	Proprietor of the Royal Press.	--	----	States he would bind himself to the same conditions as the previous Editors of Arthasadhaka patrike were responsible to Govt.	
X.(Serial 24) Mr.B.Ramacharya			At the scheduled rate (he states)	1,000 copies	---
XI.(Serial 25) Mr.K.Ramiengar c/o K.Lakshmana Iyengar Esq., Pleader,Nanjangud	States he was permitted to edit and publish a journal.				
XII.(Serial 26) Mr.G.R.Gosyer	M.A.; Fellow of the Royal Economic Society of Great Britain; Honorary contributor to Encyclopaedia of South India. (4) Author of Problems of	Monthly	Not more than Rs.3 per annum	Proposes that Govt. may purchase a certain number of copies.	

Chief Secretary's ~~remarks~~:-
"I think this is a retired I Dn.Clerk of the Sectt."

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XVIII. (Serial 32) Mr.K.Bhima Rao	Pleader Moved with the masses in rural parts, and studied the economic condition of the people.		Wishes to know the number of copies the Government would subscribe for.	
XIX.(Serial 33) Mr.T.T.Sharman	Says he has served as a Kannada and Telugu Assistant to the Government Epigraph for India for more than 4 years. Also he has contributed to several papers.	--	---	States that concessions given to Mr.D.V.Gundappa may be given to him.
XX.(Serial 35) Mr.M.Venkatadri Sastry	1.Has completed the Matriculation course. 2.Author of a dozen novels	Monthly	Says with a smaller number of subscribers viz 5000 it is possible to fix the subscription as low as Rs.2/- per annum.	(1) Permission to send papers on service (2) Local & Municipal Board Offices be directed to purchase a copy, as also the Revenue Officers including Shekdars. (3) Provision in the Education Budget be made for the purchase of copies for free distribution among several schools in the State. (4) Requests a sum of money be advanced to cover initial expenditure.

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Sadhvi office,
Lakshmipuram, Mysore.
dated. 10 : 11 : 1924

From
M. Venkatakrishnayya,

To
The Chief Secretary,
The Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

REVENUE & NEW DEPTT
Rs. Gyn
11. NOV. 1924
SECTION

Sir,

For many years past the Sadhvi, the Kannada Weekly, Mysore has been devoting its columns to useful articles on Agriculture, Industries, Commerce in their different branches as well as to matters of Social, moral, Spiritual and political interests. I have now come to the conclusion that matters of political interest other than those of an academic nature should be religiously excluded from the paper

No. 1220.

"MYSORE ECONOMIC JOURNAL" 52

Dated Bangalore,
19, Gundopunt Buldgs., Siddicutta, 8th November 1924.

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From

C. HAYAVADANA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
EDITOR, "MYSORE ECONOMIC JOURNAL,"
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

With reference to G.O.NO.G.3156-G.M. 31-24-6 dated 1st November 1924 published in the "Mysore Gazettee", dated 6th November 1924, inviting applications for taking over the Kannada monthly Journal entitled "Arthasadhaka Patrike," on the understanding that Government shall subscribe for a certain number of copies, I have the honour to state that this Journal was originally started by me in January 1915 and conducted by me for Government for nearly six years until about September 1920 and reached a circulation of some 8,700 copies a week at the time it was first handed over to a private agency. Its subsequent history is already well known to Government. Knowing as I do the objects it should serve and the conditions under which it could be made a fair success, Government perhaps will be pleased to consider favourably a proposal in this connection from me. I request that Government may be pleased to hand over the Journal to me on the conditions mentioned below. Considering that the Journal has ceased to exist and everything about it has to be organized afresh, I shall be glad if Government will make a grant towards the cost of the initial equipment requisite for starting an office for the purpose. If they so desire, the necessary articles of furniture and office requisites may be supplied by them instead of making a cash grant. For purchasing paper etc., a year's subscription due by Government

Government on the copies to be subscribed for by them may also be kindly paid by Government in advance.

2. The conditions of transfer, if agreeable to Government, should include the following:-

(1) Government to make over the Journal to me absolutely and without any reservations as to ownership on their part as and from the date of its transfer. From the date of transfer, the Journal will, in every respect, be legally and for every purpose my own.

(2) Government to subscribe for 500 copies of the Journal at Rs.6/-per annum for a period of at least five years from the date of transfer.

(3) Government to send advertisements to the Journal as far as may be possible. Government to kindly circularize in the matter to all Departmental Heads and District Officers.

(4) Government to make an initial grant towards the purchase of necessary office requisites, including one good new Typewriter, writing tables, two bureaus, two almirahs, two racks, two benches, four stools, six chairs, necessary reference books etc., so that the Office of the Journal may be reopened expeditiously and the work re-commenced without delay. The office requisites are based on the requirements of an office consisting of two Assistants, two Clerks, one Examiner, etc. with some facilities for storage of paper etc.

(5) In the alternative, the Government may, if they so choose, direct the supply of the above instead of making a money grant towards their purchase.

3. I need hardly add that the Journal will, as intended by Government, give prominence to topics of local Economic interest special attention being paid to agricultural, educational and industrial development work in the State. It will also give attention to any special matter sent in by Government or the Departments for the information of the general public.

4. In view of the fact that some Kannada periodical run on proper lines and appearing at regular intervals of time has been for long considered necessary by Government for disseminat-

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disseminating useful information among the people of the State, Government perhaps will view with favour this proposal on my part to take over the Journal. I happen to possess certain obvious facilities for conducting a Journal of this kind and should be glad to do my best for resuscitating a Journal which I originally started at the instance of Government. There is, I venture respectfully to submit, some propriety as well in this Office taking over this Journal as its work is closely connected with what this office has been long doing in regard to the English Economic Journal.

5. I may add that my other work will not be allowed to interfere with my proposed taking over of this Journal. A separate staff will be maintained for it and its work will be attended to with alacrity and zeal by that staff, subject to my personal supervision and control.

6. If Government desire any further information in regard to any of the points above mentioned, I shall be happy to supply the same forthwith in order that a satisfactory conclusion may be arrived at without delay.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Editor.

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No.....

Office of the Vokkaligara Patrike, Cottonpet,

Bangalore City. Dated 12th November 1924.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

12 NOV. 1924

Reference :-G.O.No.G.3156-GM 31-24-6 dated 1-11-24.

Sir,

I am willing to conduct the Kannda Economic Journal " Arthasadhaka Patrike" as a Weekly on the lines approved of by the Government. I prefer it as a weekly, as I believe that it is only in that form the purpose of the Government to diseminate sound economic ideas can be usefully served. I have a good experience in the journalistic line and have conducted the "Vokkaligara Patrike" first as a Sub-Editor and subsequently as Editor for about five years. I am now its Editor. Being a Vokkaligar, I am much interested in industrial agricultural and economic improvement of our State, and have contributed many articles on these subjects. I have also written and published at my own expense a hand book on agriculture in Kannada" by name ಕೃಷಿಪಾಠಗಳು ಭಾಗ ೧. In addition to my being Editor, I have been the Manager of the Vokkaligara Sangha Press as well, and therefore know the technique of printing also very well.

The chequered career of the Arthasadhaka Patrike hitherto has not served to create much confidence in its future, and consequently we cannot count upon adequate support from the public, both as subscribers and advertisers, at the outset. It will atleast want a few years of uninterrupted publication to rouse public interest and create public confidence and thereby to make the paper self supporting. Until then strong Government support is quite necessary.

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I have calculated the minimum Expenditure for printing and paper ,for publishing the Arthasadhaka Patrike in double demy size (Demy folio 8 pages),as a weekly. The cost amounts to Rs.40/-per week for 500 copies and to Rs.50/-per week for 1000 copies.Taking a year consisting of 50 weeks,this works up to Rs.2000/-and Rs.2500/ for 500 and 1000 copies respectively.Office rent ,one servant and contingent charges amount to another Rs.500/-per year.In all Rs.2500/-and Rs.3000/-per year are required to publish 500 and 1000 copies of Arthasadhaka Patrike,respectively.Nothing is included in this as remuneration to Editor and a clerk.It is to be supposed that advertisement charges and outside subscribers will remunerate these to some extent.

I am prepared to conduct the Journal and to attend to the clerical duties as well,without any fixed allowance,fully trusting that the Patrike will begin to yield an adequate return from the second or third year and on-wards.To this end,the concession I seek at the hands of the Government are as follow

1. The Government may be pleased to pay every year Rs.2500/-in advance in return for 500 copies of the Journal,or Rs.3000/-for 1000 copies.
2. Postal concession may be shown by way of sending the Patrike and all correspondence connected with it as "On Mysore Govt. Service"within the State.
3. The subscription of the Patrike may be fixed at Rs.4/-per annum for persons with an income of Rs.2000/-and above per annum and at Rs.1-8-0 for persons with a less income.
4. The contract may be fixed at the first instance for five years with the option of renewal,if both parties agree.The Goverhment subvention may be reduced in case the circulation improves.

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5.All Goverhment advertisements without exception may be given to me and Municipalities and District Boards may kindly be ~~xxii~~ written to do the same.

6.The Government may supply all furniture~~s~~ necessary for the office

7.Saturday may be fixed as the day of publication of the Patrike.

In case the Government are pleased to entrust me with the conduct of the patrike,under the concessions sought for,I may assure them of my strict adherence to the Government policy,~~o~~f of its efficient management and of regular publication.

I am

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B Hanumantaiya Gauda

E d i t o r,

Vokkaligara Patrike,Bangalore City.

M. B. D.
Printing Works
ESTD. 1872.

V. B. Soobbiah & Sons

PRINTERS, PUBLISHERS, BOOK-BINDERS AND
RUBBER STAMP MAKERS

Avenue Road

Bangalore City November 13, 1924

No 1242

To

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The Chief Secretary to the

Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dear Sir,

Referring to Government Order No.G.3156/G.M.31-24-6 of the 1st instant, in the matter of an agency for the publication of the "Arthavada Patrike", we beg to be favoured with fuller information on the following points so as to enable us to submit our proposals in the matter for the kind consideration of His Highness' Government.-

(1) If the journal is to be a weekly or monthly publication. In this connection we might state that originally it was a weekly.

(2) Whether the publication is to be in a book form as it is now or in a newspaper form.

(3) What the annual subscription of the journal is.

Awaiting a reply at your earliest convenience,

We beg to remain,
Yours most faithfully,

V. B. Soobbiah & Sons

THE SATYAVADI OFFICE
Chamaraj Agrahar, Mysore
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19-11-24.

No. 335

G.M: 31-24-14

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.

Bangalore.

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10. NOV. 1924

Dear Sir,

Referring to your announcement in a recent issue of The "Mysore Gazette", relating to The offer of The publication of The "Arthasadhakapatrika" to private Agency, on condition of The Govt. subscribing for a number of copies of The paper, for encouraging The publication, I have the honor to let you know my intention to undertake The publication of The paper, should The arrangements prove satisfactory.

In This connection, I should like to be enlightened on The following particulars.

1. Is The contract for any fixed period? No

2. Apart from The publication in the paper articles of interest & utility appertaining to

THE SATYAVADI OFFICE
Chamaraj Agrahar, Mysore
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Amount payable by Govt. in Treasury direction.

Should papers, that are posted, be registered
Insufficient Postage Stamps or may be posted
Not paid under with Stamps.

I shall be thankful for an early information re above. & I may also say that if I am given the opportunity of contacting the papers, I shall by [illegible] Govt's Satisfaction.

Awaiting an early reply,

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely
M. S. Krishnan

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Received on 22/12

Chamrajpet
21 November 1924

Dear Mr. Heatham,

I see from the May Star Eagle that you are calling for applications from those willing to conduct the Karnataka Economic Journal on condition of the Government subscribing for a certain number of copies. In this connection it strikes me that it is desirable to entrust the work to a body of Public workers than to individuals and I make the suggestion for what it is worth. Recently a pro-Congress Co-operative Institution has been started at Bangalore in accordance with the resolutions passed at a number of Co-operative

Co-operative Credit at my suggestion the organization has been registered under the Co-operative Societies' Regulation. Dr. K. A. Ramiah, the Registrar has been pleased to appoint me as its first President with a Managing Committee. One of the objects of this Body is the collection and dissemination of economic information. If Government could ascertain the views in question may be entrusted to this body the details may easily be settled. I may say that the Registrar of the Provincial Societies is in favour of the dissemination of Co-operative and economic information and has given at his disposal. He has no objection to work in unison with this body, if Government need decide the objects aimed at.

Yours sincerely
K. Thanu Pillai

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Fm 2392

From

Messrs. A.M.Bernard & Joseph,
71 Veeranna's Garden, Cleveland Town,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

18. NOV. 1924

Sir,

Understanding from the Madras Mail, the Government is willing to let the editing of the much needful Kannada weekly "The Arthasadhaka Patrike" to those who are willing to take it up, we beg to request you to kindly let us know the terms of the Government for its giving away. We are willing to take it up, not on trial but in real earnest, fully understanding the responsibilities and the tremondous part the paper has to play in the advancement of the people and the development of the country's resources preparing the way for the progressive aims of the Government, educating the people in industrial pursuits and remaining the mouthpiece of the enlightened spokesmen of the country carefully keeping away politics from its columns and all controversial matters.

Our point of view of the paper is that it must be a gyroscopic compass directing the existing and reforming economic condition of the country infusing the active enterprising spirit into the hearts of the people to make the best use of their opportunities in turning the natural resources of their environment with lively interest.

This of course is a tremondous work and no person who can view this venture perspectively, can commit himself to the responsibilities of editing such an economic paper, (which should be and ought to be a stimulating perennial oasi to refresh the economic field of progressive life of the people to buzz and hum with activity,) without full facilities that demand the realisation of the above aims. Therefore such a paper cannot go on without the help of the Government

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of the country but its bounties are surely compensated by the development of the country's resources in many ways,

Editing an English Journal has many advantages though the effectiveness of it cannot reach the masses. The editing of a Kannada journal of this kind has all the ten points to its disadvantage but the usefulness of which is incalculable and is of an imperative necessity. Therefore it is clear excepting the Government support for its conducting, the editor has to shoulder the responsibilities of all the other points and see that he inspires good and enlightened writers; provides all that interest and promote progressive aims of the Government. Such a paper cannot sway with the change of editors but on the other hand it must be so organised that the spirit of which must remain and burn with the same intensity if not more.

Therefore an editor should not kill himself by such a sweating work. He must have every facility, free of physical wants that he may give his full care-free attention to this work alone.

We beg to present the above that, if the Government patronage would facilitate this view, ~~that~~ we may take it up to promote fully these aims to the entire satisfaction of the Government and for the benefit of the country. We know what the country needs and at the present times and sure nothing short of this will be of much use to her.

As for our ability to conduct~~ing~~ it, we beg to state that for want of opportunities we were not able to distinguish ourselves, but however you may know that we have written some books (Scientific and others) and translated the Indian Red Cross Society's popular health pamphlets and are contributing a number of articles to the well known Kannada leading Journal the "Jaya-Karnataka" of Dharwar in which our articles are generally announced previous to their publication. Of course the subjects we have treated in

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that journal are quite different. They were written with a different aims to altogether a different journal. But in them you can see the lucidity, the spirit of inspiration, their far reaching psychological effect and the depth of our grasp of scientific subjects. Further we say that we can

We beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

For Messrs.A.M.Bernard & Joseph,

A M Bernard

Bangalore,
15-11-1924.

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SUBJECT 1 2911

Diary No. of letter replied to 2332

Section Gen

File No. 31–24

Serial No. 17

General and Revenue Secretariat

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No. G 3.661/Gen/Gen

Date of issue 24.11.24

Signed by Mr. M.V.J.

To

Master A.M. Bernard

+ Joseph. 71.

Veeramma's Garden, Cleveland

Town - Bangalore

Sir,

In reply to your letter of 15.11.24 ~~regarding~~ requesting information regarding the facilities and privileges for the public use of the Arthanaharbatitte, I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of G. No G 3/156/Gen 31-24-6 of 1.11.24 in the matter and to state that your proposals may be accepted.

Yours faithfully

for Secretary

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Fair draft.

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Gen 31-24

To

Messrs. V. B. Sobbiah & Sons,
Printers, Publishers etc.,

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Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter --- No.1242 dated 13th November 1924 asking for certain information regarding the proposed Economic Journal in Kannada, I am directed to state that the question whether the --- journal should be a weekly or monthly and -- also the question of publishing it in book form or in newspaper form are for consideration after proposals are received from --- persons willing to undertake its publication in either way. As regards the annual --- subscription, I am to state that you are at liberty to propose any reasonable rate ~~for the magazine you wish~~ to conduct.

Yours faithfully,

For Chief Secretary to Govt.

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Bangalore,
25-11-1924.

From

Messrs. A.M.Bernard & Joseph,
71 Veeranna's Garden, Cleveland Town,
BANGALORE.

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

K. Rangaiengar, B. A., L.L.B.
ADVOCATE.

TUMKUR.

Date 25. 11. 1924.

Editor The Mysore Chronicle.

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To

The Chief-Secretary to the Government of
Mysore
Bangalore.

Sir,

I read in the Mysore Gazette that the Kannada Arthavadhaka Patrike would be given to editing to those who may apply for the same. I beg to you to be good enough to grant the same to me you are aware the fact that I have been editing with great success the Kannada Mysore Chronicle which I have now acceded various supplements on Industry, Art &c.

I would agree to take it up on the same conditions as are offered to S.V. Gundappa. you might be aware that I applied for this last time alone, but before my application the matter had been settled.

I can assure the government, that having taken to editing work, I would give every satisfaction by making the Patrike a living magazine

I hope you will kindly consider this application favorably

I remain,
Yours faithfully,
K. Rangaiengar

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Serial No. 22

General and Revenue Secretariat

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No. G 3777

Date of issue 28-11-24

Signed by Mr. M.V.J

To

M. Venkata Krishnaiya Esq

Editor of "Sadhvi"

Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your letter of 10.11.24 requesting the purchase of 2000 copies of ~~your~~ "Sadhvi", I am directed to request you will be good enough to state if your letter may be taken as sent in response to G.O. No. G 3156/ Secn 31-Sec dt 1.11.24 calling for applications from persons who are willing to undertake the publication of an Economic Journal in Kannada, and I am also to enquire if it is your intention to convert the "Sadhvi" into a purely Ec. Journal

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Yours

(*) This has appeared in the Gazette issue of 6th Nov 24

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if you approve of the passage of [illegible] with their approval.

An immediate reply will oblige

Yours faithfully.

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No. 280.

THE ROYAL PRESS,

Mysore 22nd November 1924.

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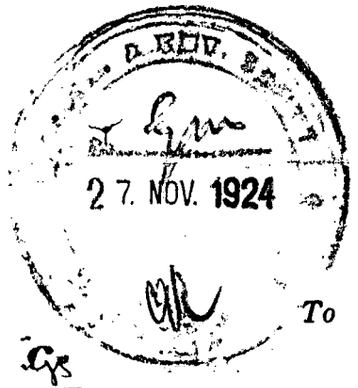
Gm. 31-24-23

From

B. V. NARASIMHA IYENGAR ESQ.,
PROPRIETOR,
THE ROYAL PRESS,
MYSORE.



To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja
of Mysore
Bangalore

Respected Sir,

In accordance with the Government Order in the Mysore Government Gazette dated 20. 11. 24 calling for applicants to conduct the Kanada "Arthasadhakapatrike", I beg to offer myself as an applicant for the same.

G 3156-G.M.31-24-6 dated 1. 11. 24

I am running my Press since 1915 with my son B. Srinivasamurthy B.A.. Very many Kanada magazines, of which viz Madhumavani - Kadambari Sangeha - Arya Mahila - Aragili - Satyavadi paper - Kaigarike - Upadhyayasamasya were being printed and published at my Press by the respective editors. As Kanada journals cannot thrive depending mainly on public patronage I regret to submit that many have ceased to exist. If a chance is given to me by the Government, I will use my best endeavours to prove myself worthy of the patronage. In this connection, I beg to bring to the notice of the Government, that my father late Rao B. Venkatachar is widely known as the famous Kanada

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[illegible] last [illegible] Kanada novels numbering over
[illegible] read and appreciated in every Kanada [illegible]
home. Now residing here in my power to the [illegible]
[illegible] of Pierre. Am also intending to restart the Kanada
[illegible] "Arabian Tea Rooms," once started by my father,
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

Hoping to hear with this opportunity, I remain
[illegible] "Virtuosa Stafstrike", I will
[illegible] to the same conditions as its previous editor
[illegible] [illegible].

Hoping my request will be considered favourably,

I remain
Respected Sir
Your most obedient [illegible]
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To

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Bangalore.

Sir,

My attention was drawn to a recent announcement in the Official Gazette that the Artha Sadhaka Patrika is offered to any member of the public, complete and billing, undertaking to conduct it on lines and on terms approved by Government.

I have had myself in contemplation for some little time past, the starting of a newspaper to answer the needs of the times, and the present proposal of Government comes handy & in time and if otherwise acceptable to Government I am prepared to take it up and conduct it.

In consideration of the difficulties in the way of the success of vernacular journalism, particularly in an Indian State, I expect Government to be a little more liberal and sympathetic. Accordingly I request Government to be good

might be available for at least two copies at the reduced rate of subscription.

Further, in the present mood of the popular mind, some remonies will not command attention, in this respect. Some latitude is necessary. Surveying of official acts with [illegible] news should be a feature of the paper, as was the case latterly. Sufficient helpful criticisms of government measures have to be omitted. Those particular comments are unacceptable to Government or the people writing to them, they would be dropped. Those particular policy or official announcement has taken objections to the people or disputed, that might be done. The relation between Government & the people in this State being on a different footing from that of British India, there need be no apprehension about the policy of the paper in dealing with administrative questions. Government may be sure that dissidized papers, known as such are always at a discount with the people. In order that the paper may [illegible] the purpose claimed by the Government & and secure a favorable

hearing fairs message in the field of economics, it is quite necessary it must be allowed to secure and enjoy some measure of public confidence. This does not mean that the paper should be offensive or descend to the vulgar. It can direct popular thought and opinion on important questions into desirable directions. My own conception of a political newspaper is, specially in an Indian State, that of an intelligent dubash, enjoying the confidence of both the Government and the people but never false to either.

As for competency to undertake it I do not know Government's mind in the matter. But I must point out I have something of the newspaperman in my blood, in as much as my father grandfather, brother & uncle each in turn conducted a respectable vernacular weekly from 1859 to 1898 when the terrible plague stopped it. If this is of any value, here I give it.

I have placed these my views on the subject before you and await

the Secretaries of Government. If my
proposals are favorably received I
shall be prepared to settle details

[illegible] being favorably
received it will be possible to
begin [illegible] the Patrika from the
beginning of January next.

[illegible] favour of a reply

I beg to remain
Sir,
Your obedient humble
Servant
K Ramachandra

Bangalore,

Dated, 28th November 1924.

From:-

K. Rama Iyengar,
C/O, K. Lakshmana Iyengar, Esq.,
Pleader, NANJANGUD.

To

K. Matthan, Esq., B.A.,
The Chief Secretary to
the Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

In response to the call given, by Government Order relating to "Arthasadhaka Patrike", as published in the Mysore Gazette of the 20th inst., to persons competent and willing to undertake its publication on the terms set out thereon, I the undersigned beg to submit the following to your kind consideration:-

That, though I cannot claim competency by virtue of being a live Journalist, yet I would invite your kind attention to the fact that in the G.O., No. G.3574/Gen.147-14-76 of 14-9-1915, the permission granted to me by the Government to edit and publish a Journal, bespeaks the competency that is at least inherent in me and is also expected of me.

Owing to adverse circumstances, caused by war and by my private affairs and finding the time to be not so opportune by my standpoint, I had shelved the matter for the time being.

With the coming of the Hindu New Year, or if convenient, with the coming of the English New Year as well, I begin to edit and publish a Journal expounding economic efficiency, its principles and attainment. And as it is intended to serve and to benefit the mass of the country, I need not

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not tell you, Sir, that the Journal will be published in Kanarese.

Now, it is gratifying, indeed, to all that Government has so candidly confessed the need of such a Journal in Kanarese and that the Government is prepared to graciously give its quota of help to any competent and willing worker.

With my ambition and aptitude, and experience gained through the hard knockings in the school of adversity, in my various pursuits, as an inventor, business man Engineering subordinate, Agriculturist, etc., and as a keen observer and as a man of brains and energy, I will assure you that I can soon prove to be so competent as you expect any to merit the patronage proffered by the Government.

Therefore, I would earnestly solicit your esteemed patronage to be given to me for this, if you think it is acceptable to you.

Further, my ambition and standard being high and most modern, I would beg of you to kindly inform me also, if there are any limitations -- any one would be subjected to for accepting your patronage -- which would clash with the proprietory rights of fixing the size, subscription -- and the publication period and of the editorial freedom in leading, commenting and compiling.

Trusting that this would lead us both to a consensus of willing work and of rendering seasonably suitable service to save the subject and the State, the cause alike giving equal and reciprocal rights to both the good people and the good Government, to dis-

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disseminate right knowledge and to work in accordance therewith,

And awaiting your esteemed favour and commands,

I beg to remain,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

T K Ramachandran

G. R. JOSYER, M.A.

Fellow
OF THE ROYAL ECONOMIC SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN; AND
Member
OF THE ASSOCIATION FRANCAISE DES AMIS DE L'ORIENT, PARIS;
Executive
YOUNG CITIZENS' COUNCIL, AND
President
DHARMA PRACHARAKA SABHA, BANGALORE;
Hon. Correspondent for India
TO THE INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE ALLIANCE, LONDON; AND
THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF WORKING WOMEN, WASHINGTON, U.S.A.;
Honorary Contributor
ENCYCLOPÆDIA OF SOUTH INDIA; AND
Author
"TIPPU SULTAN," "SOUTH INDIAN PHILOSOPHY," "PROBLEM OF WEALTH," "ECONOMICS OF CASTE," "HINDU LADY SAVANTS" AND "SPIRITUAL REGENERATION."

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BANGALORE.

29th November 1924.

Jm 31—24—26.

To

K. MATTHAN, ESQ. B.A.

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

BANGALORE.

Jm 1/11/24. 29/11 Gen 29/11

DEAR SIR,

(1) WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR NOTIFICATION IN THE GAZETTE INVITING OFFERS TO RUN THE "ARTHASATHAKA PATRIKA", I BEG TO DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE LETTERS OF 30th July & Sept 6 BY ME, ADDRESSED TO THE 2ND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. I HAVE TRIED TO POINT OUT THEREIN THAT THE PRESENT STATE OF ~~THE~~ COMMERCIAL SITUATION IN THE STATE IS -- MOST GRAVE; AND THAT IT REQUIRES MOST CAREFUL STUDY, PROPAGANDA, AND HANDLING; AND THAT THE "ARTHASATHA PATRIKA", IF CONFINED TO ECONOMIC TOPICS IN POINT OF SUBSTANCE, COULD BE MADE TO PROVE -- CONSPICUOUSLY EFFECTIVE IN SERVING THE ECONOMIC INTERESTS OF THE STATE. I SUGGESTED ALSO THAT, IF I WERE PERMITTED TO RUN IT, I WOULD BE ABLE TO DO SO ON THE MOST ECONOMIC LINES, AND PROCURE OUT OF IT THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF PUBLIC UTILITY.

(2) MY SCHEME WAS.--

1) THAT IT BE RUN AS A MONTHLY JOURNAL.

2) THAT IT BE CONFINED PURELY TO ECONOMIC MATTERS OF SUBSTANTIAL INTEREST TO THE STATE.

3) THAT ITS ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION BE NOT MORE THAN -- Rs. 3/- IN ORDER TO BE WITHIN THE REACH AS --

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AS WIDE A PUBLIC AS POSSIBLE. AND

4) THAT THE GOVERNMENT MAY PURCHASE A CERTAIN NUMBER OF COPIES.

I BEG LEAVE TO ADD NOW A FEW MORE POINTS FOR THE CONSI- - DERATION OF GOVERNMENT.

THE INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENTS, THE ECONOMIC -- CONFERENCE, THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, AND THE BANKS AND MERCAN- - TILE ASSOCIATIONS, ARE THE INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE, THAT ARE EX- PECTED TO CONSERVE AND EXPAND THE ECONOMIC CONDITIONS OF THE -- PEOPLE. THE INTEREST OF GOVERNMENT IN PROMOTING THE 'ARTHASATHA- KA PATRIKA' LIES IN THE FACT THAT THAT PAPER COULD DO YEOMAN WORK IN ~~B~~ PROPAGANDA ON THE LINES OF WORK COMING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF - THESE SEVERAL INSTITUTIONS. OTHERWISE, IF, LIKE THE PRESENT ENG- LISH ECONOMIC JOURNAL, IT HAS NO OPINION TO EXPRESS ON CURRENT - ECONOMIC MATTERS OF THE STATE, NO REMEDY TO SUGGEST FOR THE GROW- ING RUIN OF THE LOCAL COMMERCIAL WORLD, AND NO IDEAS TO OFFER AS TO THE FUTURE LINES OF THE STATES' ECONOMIC ADVANCE, IT WERE BEST THAT, AFTER ITS THIRD FAILURE, GOVERNMENT MAY DROP THE IDEA OF RE- VIVING THE JOURNAL.

I WOULD ALSO POINT OUT TO GOVERNMENT THAT IN SEEKING -- EDITORS ON THE LAST TWO OCCASSONS, GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN INFLUENCED BY THEIR JOURNALISTIC TRAINING ONLY: AND THAT IS WHY THE JOUR- NAL FAILED ~~B~~ BOTH TIMES. IT STRIKES ME THAT THERE ARE TWO OTHER REQUISITES BESIDES, TO MAKE THE JOURNAL USEFUL AND POPULAR. A -

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A GOOD KNOWLEDGE OF COMMERCIAL MATTERS IN GENERAL, AND A CONSIDERABLE ACQUAINTANCE WITH THE STATES' COMMERCIAL CONDITIONS. -- WITH JOURNALISTIC KNOWLEDGE AND COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE, together, THERE IS NO REASON WHY THE JOURNAL SHOULD NOT BECOME AN EFFECTIVE POWER - IN THE STATE IN ECONOMIC MATTERS, AS THE "CAPITAL" AND "COMMERCE" ARE IN BRITISH INDIA.

WITHOUT MY VENTURING TO CLAIM THEM, I HOPE THAT YOU MAY - BE PLEASED TO GRANT THAT, BESIDES HAVING THE CAPACITY TO WRITE, I HAVE KEPT MYSELF IN INTIMATE TOUCH WITH THE ECONOMIC CONDITIONS OF THE STATE DURING THE LAST EIGHT YEARS; IN WHICH CASE, YOU -- MIGHT KINDLY RECOMMEND TO GOVERNMENT THE ADVISABILITY OF TRANSFERRING THE JOURNAL TO ME, AND I CAN - IF YOU PERMIT THE USE - OF A SPORTING TERM - "BET" THAT IT WILL BE A THOROUGH SUCCESS'.

I REMAIN,

YOURS SINCERELY,

G. R. Josyer.

From,

B. OOSMAN KHAN & SONS,

"MAHARAJA HALL"

Avenue Road, BANGALORE CITY.

To

K. MATHEN, Esq., B. A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to Government Notification No.G 3156-G.M.-31--24-6 dated 1st November 1924, offering certain concessions to under--take the publication of the Arthasaduka Patrika, I beg to submit this application.

I intend publishing a weekly paper at present in Kanada, the primary object of which will be to impart information on economic and other matters relating to the welfare of the people. I intend to open my Office in this connection in a portion of the new building I have constructed recently in a prominent place in the city of Bangalore.

I have considerable experience in this line as I was editing the Bangalore District Patrika when this journal was being issued under the auspices of the District Board. I shall employ a competent staff for the purpose. I have herein enclosed three copies of the old District Patrika for perusal. I beg to submit herewith in original letter dated 6th December 1920 to my address by Sir '. Vis--avesvaryya which may speak for itself.

I am a native of the State with a thorough knowledge both of Kanada and Urdu and a fair knowledge of English, Telagu and Tamil, and have served on several public bodies such as the Economic

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Economic Development Board, Industries and Commerce Board, District Board, Municipal Council &c. and posses large agricultural, trading and other interests in the State.

In the Government Notification the concession offered is mainly a promise to take up a certain number of copies. However this may work in practice so far as journals published in English are concerned for which there may be a large number of readers in public offices, it is not likely to be of much help to journals published in Vernacular. Unless Government therefore take up a sufficient number of copies so that the amount received from Government will cover the expences of publishing the paper this concession will otherwise affect the circulation of the paper to the extent of the number of copies supplied to Government. As Government will have to take up a large number of copies in case the concession is to be of substantial help it may become necessary to send them free to every importment village and the journal will then have to depend entirely on the Government Support. In these circumstances I beg to represent that the only manner in which the journal can be helped is by giving a money contribution. The only organisations that can benifit by the concessions offered are only established journals but they are not likely to alter the charecter of their journal without seriously affecting their circulation in case Government insist upon their adhering to the objects of the journal Government have in view.

In these circumstances, I beg to submit that the concessions offered by Government will not enable them to achive their intentic and that it is necessary to offer a subvention.

I am prepared to undertake the publication of the journal i Kanada on the following terms :

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(1) A monthly contribution by Government of a sum of Rs 200, during the first year, Rs 150/- during the second year, and Rs 100/- during the third year, after which no subvention need be given. Thus for three years a sum of R 5400/ may be given to me in monthly instalments for a Weekly Jam in place of Rs 9500/ given to Mr. Gundappa for a monthly journal.

(2) I should be permitted to send copies of the paper and the connected correspondence in the Mysore State, Service Unpaid as long as the paper may exist.

In conclusion I beg to submit that I am submitting this application with a view to serve the cause of my country and that I am not actuated by any motive to earn profit since the source of income through subscriptions and charges of advertisements are limited. I shall not hesitate to supplement funds to make the useful and popular.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

P Chandrasekhara

Bangalore City,
Dated 29th November 1924.

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Ref. No.....

Date 29th Novr. 24.

To

K. Mathan Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the
Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In response to the advertisement published in the Mysore Gazette, inviting applications from persons willing to conduct an Economic Journal in Kannada, I beg to tender this, my application for the consideration of the Government:--

1. As the Government are doubtless aware, I am the Editor, Printer, and Publisher of the "New Mysore" an English Weekly published in the State. I have more than ten years' experience as a Journalist and thus possess a fairly complete knowledge of the Economic problems presented by Mysore as also of the means of educating, enlightening and interesting the people in the solution of those problems.

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2. Further, I have experience as a businessman and in that capacity maintain business connections with leading industrialists and Bankers in Germany, England, France and America. I get foreign trade Journals which give the reader an insight into the trade and industrial conditions obtaining in foreign countries. These Journals contain in many cases, interesting and instructive articles on matters affecting trade and commerce and the publication of these articles written in popular Kannada language will serve to keen our people au courant with the conditions of the West; and the importance and utility of such knowledge on their part is too obvious to need elaboration.

3. If the publication of the Kannada Economic Journal is entrusted to me, I propose to keep it as a monthly periodical dovoted to a discussion of economic problems concerning Mysore and other countries whose experience is likely to serve as a guide

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guide to us. It will contain useful and relevant extracts from Journals of foreign countries bearing on industrial development, trade expansion and the like and select articles both In English and Kannada from writers of note. Space will also be found for Government reports and papers that may be sent for publication. These are in brief the main lines on which I would propose to run the Kannada Economical Journal.

Now as regards the terms. The Government themselves admit in their order that Economic Journals are not sure of, and cannot entirely depend upon, popular support, but the terms which they offer are not sufficiently inviting. The promise to subscribe for a certain number of copies of the Journal does not go very far as a Kannada Journal, unlike an English periodical, has many difficulties to encounter. For one thing, special efforts are necessary and have to be put furth to see that it reaches the masses. For another, there are difficulties in the way of

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getting suitable contributions for the Journal from competent writers, in the absence of attractive inducement etc., The cost of bringing out regularly and attractively an economic Journal in Kannada is, for the above reasons, likely to be very heavy and it is hence necessary that the encouragement offered by Government should take a more tangiable form than a mere undertaking to purchase a certain number of copies. I would, therefore, request the Government to sanction an annual subvension of Rs. 3,200/- (Three Thousand and Two Hundred) only for a period of three years in the first instance together there with reference book etc, placed at the disposal of Mr. Gundappa and since returned by him. For my part, I shall undertake to bring out the Journal regularly every month on lines briefly sketched above or other lines that may be indicated by Government, and shall also abide by any conditions that may be imposed in this behalf. My experience in this line, the business connections which I have with foreign countries and the fact that

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Ref. No..... 5 *Date*..... 29th Novr. 24

I own a Printing Press with the requisite staff are a sufficient guarantee, if I may say so, for the prompt publication of the Journal.

I beg to remain,

S i r,

Yours faithfully,

E. G. Pillai

Editor & Publishers of
"New Mysore",
&
Proprietor, The South Indian
Advertising Agency.

N.B. I do not require any Type-writer or office furniture from Government as we have our own.

I will also supply Government 100 or 200 copies free of all charges

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Visvesvarapura Extension,
BASAVANGUDI P.O., Bangalore,
29th November 1924

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From

Mr.C.Nagappa, B.A., LL.B.,
Advocate and Joint Manager, The Mysore Law Journal,
Bangalore City.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

29. NOV. 1924

Sir,

ECONOMIC JOURNAL IN KANNADA

With reference to G.O.No.G.3156 - G.M.31-24-6 dated the 1st November 1924 offering certain concessions to induce private enterprise to take up the publication of the ECONOMIC JOURNAL in Kannada, I beg to offer to undertake the publication of the Journal for a period of three years, in the first instance, from 1st January 1925, on the following terms which I propose, or such other terms which Government may propose with a view to afford adequate encouragement to the Journal as a private enterprise.

1. The Journal will be published as a monthly publication to be issued or or about the 15th of every month.

2. It will contain not less than 32 pages Royal 8vo.(of superior 50 lbs Double Royal paper) comprising notes and articles in Kannada on economics, education, agriculture, civics, sociology and literature.

3. The Journal will be edited by me with the assistance of two or three selected gentlemen, whose names I shall submit later on after ascertaining their wishes and obtaining their consent, to serve as honorary advisers on the Editorial Committee.

4. The ownership of the copyright and the whole business management of the Journal will vest in me solely.

5. Government may be pleased to subscribe for not less than 500 copies or grant a subvention of not less than Rs.1500 per annum provided that 1000 or more copies of every number of the Journal are printed; or subscribe for half the actual number of copies printed, if less than 1000, of each number of the Journal

6. The annual subscription to the Journal including postage will be Rs.3/- or Rs.4/ according as the circulation is under or over 1000 copies per month.

The above are the terms which will, in my opinion, enable me to take up the publication of the Journal and keep it alive for a period of at least three years. I shall be glad to meet you at any appointed time to discuss any other terms or offers which

Government may be pleased to suggest.

I have taken very keen interest in the "Arthashastra Institute" from its inception about ten years ago and I am offering to undertake its publication in its present form purely as a labour of love, which it will be for a long time to come. I trust that Government will be pleased to offer such reasonable and adequate support as will enable me to make it self-supporting within a reasonably short time.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

R. Shamasastry

KOTHANDRAM PRESS, MYSORE

(PRINTERS, PUBLISHERS & BOOKSELLERS)

SANTHEPET, MYSORE.

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Dated 27th November 1924.

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The Chief Secretary

to the Government of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Respected Sir,

With reference to Government Order No.G.3156 G.M.31-24-6 dated 1st Nov. 1924 regarding the publication of the Economic Journal in Kannada, I beg to state that that I undertake to publish it ~~either~~ as a weekly BAK ~~or as a monthly~~ BAK, if the Government are pleased to grant me permission, under the following conditions:-

1. Permission to be kindly given to me to send the Journal to the subscribers, on Mysore Government Service.

2. The Journal is to be registered in the List so that all the Government Advertisements may find a place in it.

3. The Mysore Gazette and other publishable Government circulars to be supplied to my office free of charges.

4. A typewriter and such other books of reference as were supplied to the previous Editors, to be supplied ~~free~~ to my office.

5.Government has kindly to purchase at least Rs.1000 worth of Journal every year.

In this connection, I beg to state that I own a printing press and a book depot. I have been publishing many Kannada books which have a large market throughout the Kannada speaking country. Some of my publications are used as text books in the Mysore Madras, and Bombay Universities. A few gentlemen of good repute such as Asthan Mahavidwan Pandit Karibasava Sastri. Retired Senior Kannada Pandit, Maharaja's College, Mysore and our Press Manager Mr. A: C. Nanjundiah, B. Com., Journalist and Kannada Author are now assisting me in my publication work. With their help and the services of some more qualified men, I hope to conduct a weekly ~~or a monthly~~ quite satisfactorily.

KOTHANDRAM PRESS, MYSORE
(PRINTERS, PUBLISHERS & BOOKSELLERS)
SANTHEPET, MYSORE.

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Dated 27th November 1924.

I, therefore, pray that my case may be considered and permission granted to me at an early date.

I beg to remain,

Respected Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

S A Kothandaraman

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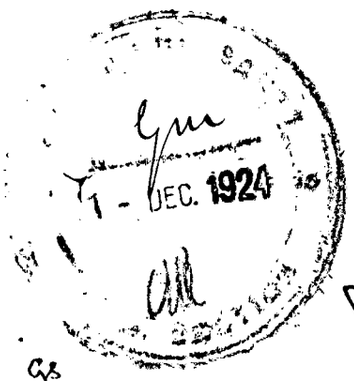
To

The Chief Secretary
to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharajah of Mysore
Bangalore



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Respected,

I beg to tender this my application for the Editorship of the "Arthasadhaka Patrika". I should like to take the entire responsibility of the said paper and run the same as it was at the begining.

I am an experiend journelist who was constantly contributing the articles to the journel in question. I will do the best I can to the paper adhering to the Rules of the Govt while handing over the Charge of the "arthasadhaka Patrika" to me.

I beg to remain
Respected Sir,
Your Most obedient Servant
Pandit K. Hanumantha Rao
(Kannada Pandit London Mission Coll: High School, Bangalore)

Dated. 29th Nov. 1924

No. 288, Visveswara Puram.
Bangalore City

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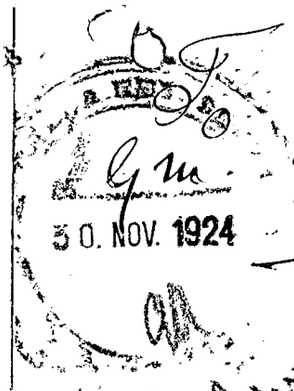

The Chief Secretary
to the Govt. of
Mysore,
Bangalore—

Sir,

Referring to your kind publication in the Mysore Gazette of the 27th instant. re: some concession be to be shown to some one who would undertake to conduct an Economic Journal in Kannada

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To

The Chief Secretary
to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore
Bangalore

Sir

In response to the advertisement published in the Mysore Gazette I beg to ~~apply~~ offer to take up the full responsibility of editing and conducting the 'Artha-Sadhaka Patrika' in Kannada. I request I may be allowed the same concessions that were given to Mr D.V. Gundappa during his management. Since the Gazette advertisement is too brief to enable me to set forth precise terms of agreement, I think it is necessary for me to discuss the matter personally. For the present, to avoid delay, I have presented this my application, and wish to assure you that any fair and reasonable terms will be acceptable to me.

As for my qualifications and experience I may state that I have served as Kannada & Telugu assistant to the Government Epigraphist for India, for more than four years; and during that period I was in charge of the Publication Section (South Indian Inscriptions). I am a student of the Maharajas College, and just at present I have taken up Journalism as my profession. I wish to draw your attention to the list of articles (enclosed) I have contributed so far; and hope that you will be pleased to consider my application favourably.

List of articles Contributed 102

1. A memoir on the 'Kannada Poets from Inscriptions' (Imperial Archaeological Series)
2. Jaina inscription of Krishna III (Epigraphia Indica)
3. Manvi and Pattanchem inscriptions (Nizam's Archaeological series)
4. i) Some Kannada poets
   ii) Bhalachandra of Belgaum
   (Karnataka Sahitya parishad patrika)
5. Essays historical and literary (Jayakarnataka)
6. Special articles to Karnataka Vritta, Shanivara.
7. Literary and Economic Supplements Mysore Chronicle
8. All the Editorial notes in the Mysore Chronicle for the last 1½ months.

T. V. Sharma

29/4/22.

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Krishnaraja Vani Vilas Press, the Sadhvi & Sampadabhyudaya Office.

From
M. [redacted] Venkatakrishnayya,
PROPRIETOR
Sadhvi, Mysore.

LAKSHMIPURAM, MYSORE.
Dated 29th Nov. 1924

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To

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K. Mathan Esqr. B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Receipt
1/12/24
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Sgk

Sir,

With reference to your no. G. 3777/ G. M. 31-24-22 dated Bangalore 25-11-24, I have the honour to state that my letter to Government dated the 10th Nov. 1924 may be taken as a response to G.O. no. G. 3156/ G.M. 31-24-6 dated 1st Nov. 24 and to state that we intend either to convert the 'Sadhvi' into "Sadhvi Arthasadhaka Patrika" or to issue a separate Kannada Economic

Journal.

Yours faithfully

M. Lakshmana [illegible]

Editor Sadhvi

for Mr. M. Venkatakrishnayya

Proprietor, K.V.L. Press,

and Sadhvi

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To

The Chief Secretary

to the Government of His Highness.

the Maharaja of Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,

In response to the advertisement Notification No. G. 3156/G.M. 31.24.6 dated 1.11.24 published in the Mysore Gazette of 13.11.24, re: the editorship of Arthasadaka Patrika, I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the Editorship of the patrika.

As for my qualifications, I may be permitted to state that I have completed the Matriculation Course in English and have made a special study of Kannada and Bengali. I have written about a dozen novels which are very highly spoken of by such Kannada scholars as Mr. M. Venkatesa Iyengar Assistant Secretary to Government, Mr. B. Rama Rao, Kannada Translator to the Government of Madras, Mr. C. HayavandanaRao Editor, Economic Journal and the late Mr. M. Subbiah of the Vokkaligara Sangha. Further, I have worked as assistant to Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao in the Office of the Mysore Economic Journal and Artha-Sadaka Patrika while under the direct control of Government. Also I have worked as Sub.Editor of Vokkaligara Patrika when it was under the distinguished guidance of ~~the~~ late Mr. M. Subbiah. Copies of testimonials given by these gentlemen are herewith submitted for favour of perusal.

Equipped with the knowledge and experience necessary for the conduct of such a periodical as Arthasadaka Patrika, I beg to submit that I feel confident of doing no meal service to the spread of information relating to the improvement of economic activities in the State. I hope thus to pave the way for the masses ameliorating their economic conditions as easily and as early as possible.

A study of the present paper market and printing and labour charges has enabled me to submit the statement appended hereto for your kind perusal. I may be permitted to state that my long experience of the printing trade convinces me that the present conditions are the lowest on record ever since 1914.

From the statement submitted, it is clear that a sum of Rs. 16,000/- is necessary to run the paper as a weekly with an added condition that there should be at least 8,000 subscribers if it is to live at all. It need hardly be said that the less the number of copies the higher the rate of subscription. To release the aim of bringing the paper within the easy reach of all classes of people, the subscription should be as low as possible which indirectly compels the publication of a larger No. of copies. Excepting Vrittantapatrika which is owned by the primier Press in South India, no other kanarese weekly is either regular or punctual. The object of the publication of a weekly paper defeats itself if the paper does not appear in time and regularly.

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The issue of the patrika in time and regularly every week cannot be guaranteed if the printing is to be entrusted to a private press which is unavoidable. Further, the usefulness of a monthly journal which can be easily reserved for future reference is too obvious to be compared with a weekly News sheet.

Supply of really useful articles on Economic and general education topics for a weekly paper is another important point to be taken into account in this connection.

All these things considered, the starting of a MONTHLY JOURNAL with the obe object of educating all classes of people to appreciate the importance and try to derive the benefits of improved economic activities in Mysore seem to be reasonable. The expenditure is much less while the convenience for its regular and punctual publication is great. It facilitates the compilation and preservation of useful articles. Even with a smaller number of subscribers viz., about 5,000/- it is possible to fix the subscription as low as Rs. 2/- per annum.

I may here be permitted to bring to the kind notice of the Government of His Highness the maharaja of Mysore that the undermentioned privileges and concessions to ensure the proper up.keep and continuity of the paper are essential:-

1. Permission to correspond on service unpaid and despatch papers to subscribers within the limits of the Mysore State as such.

2. Permission to Government Officers to contribute articles to this paper on the basis of their experience and information.

3. Issue of a Government Order for the purchase of a copy of this journal by all local and municipal board offices and also by the Revenue officers including Sheikdars, arrangements being made for the collection of the subscription amount from these offices by Government and paid monthly or quarterly through the Treasury to the Editor.

4. Provision in the Education Budget for the purchase of the copies of this journal for free distribution among all High, Normal, Middle and Primary Schools in the State. This may be conveniently substituted for Vidyadayani which is now defunct with the observation that one or two articles of real educational interest should appear in the journal. It will not be out of place to indicate that the patel represents the practical aspect and the theoretical side of the Economic activities is propounded by a village school master. A happy combination of these both will lead to the realisation of our ideal.

5. Despatch of all Government advertisements for Publication in this journal in preference to all others of a like nature.

6. Grant of all those privileges and concessions that are usually given to the representatives and editors of all journals.

7. Permission to raise or lower the subscription for this journal in the light of the fluctuation of the market conditions.

8. Permission for occasional instituting of drawing

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to attract subscribers.

9. Supply of office equipment.

10. Sanction of a sum of money as advance to cover the initial expenditure to be recovered in easy and annual ~~E~~ instalments.

11. Permission to run the journal at least for a period of 5 years according to an agreement to be executed hereafter.

In conclusion, I beg to request that ~~M~~ the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore may be graciously pleased to confer on me the Editorship of the patrika under the conditions detailed above.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. Venkatadri Sastry

31, Chickpet,
Bangalore,
Dated 29th November '24.

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Estimate.

I. Weekly paper of Demmy 4 formes
For 1,000/ copies for one week.

(a) Cost of paper at Rs. 4/ per ream ... Rs. 16.0.0
Do Printing 4 formes at Rs8
Rs.8/ a forme Rs. 32.0.0

Total ... Rs. 48. 0. 0

and for every additional copies (1000).

paper 4 reams ... Rs. 16.0.0
Printing at Rs. 2/ a form 8.0.0 Rs. 24. 0. 0

Rs. A. Ps.
48. 0. 0 for the 1st 1,000 copies.
& 24 X 7.
168. 0. 0 for the remaining 7 thousand copies.

Total 216. 0. 0 per week or 216 X 52 or 11,232/ a year.

Adding the cost of paper, printing of wrapers, address etc. and folding, the cost will come upto Rs. 12,000/ a year.

(b) cost of labour etc. per month.

(i) Editor ...	Rs. 100. 0.0
(ii) Establishment	75. 0.0
(iii) House rent ...	25. 0.0
(iv) Remuneration to contributors.	50. 0.0
(v) Postage for general correspondence	25. 0.0
(vi) Stationery etc.	25. 0.0
(vii) Miscellaneous printing etc.	20. 0.0
(viii) Purchase of books journals etc.	10. 0.0
Total ...	330.0.0 a month

or Rs. 330 X 12 ... 3,960/ a year.

Cost of Annual drawing to induce people to go in for the journal ... Rs. 540/

Grand total ... Rs. 12,000/ plus 3,960 plus Rs.540/

Rs. 16,500/ for running a weekly paper.

(c) Income in this connection will be

By advertisements 1,000. 0. 0

The balance of Rs. 15,500/ is to be realised by subscription at Rs. 2/ a copy, postage being free throughout the State.

II. Monthly journal of 80 pages (i.e.) Demy 8 page size (of which Reading matter 64 pages and advertisements 16 pages)

(a) cost of paper for the 1st 1,000 copies

(i) 10 Reams at Rs. 4/ a ream	Rs. 40. 0. 0
(ii) Printing 10 formes at Rs.8/	80. 0. 0

(3) Wrapper, paper and printing. 6. 0. 0

Total ... Rs. 126. 0. 0

For every additional 1,000 copies

(i) Cost of paper ... Rs. 40.0.0
(ii) Printing 10 forms ... Rs. 20.0.0 } Rs.65/
(iii) Wrapper, printing ... Rs. 5.0.0

Thus, for the 1st 1,000 copies ... Rs.126.0.0
and for the remaining 4,000 copies 65 x 4 ... 260. 0.0 } 386.0.0

Folding, stitching etc. at Rs. 8/ a thousand. (8 x 5) 40. 0.0

Cost of outside cover-paper, printing addresses etc. 50. 0.0

Total 476. 0.0 per month

or roughly Rs. 480 x 12 ... 5,760/

(b) Cost of labour etc. will be as shown in I (b), come up to 4,500/

Thus, total cost for 5,000 copies of monthly journal will be nearly 6,000/ plus 4,500/ ... 10,500/

(c) Income.

By advertisements ... Rs. 1,000/

and the balance by subscription at Rs. 2/

A copy within the State. → Rs. 2/8
~~and~~ For outsiders.

Allowing a fair margin for complimentary exchange and submission copies, the monthly scheme appears to be better than the weekly.

— M. Venkatadri Sastry

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Mysore Economic Journal
Bangalore, 20th June 1922.

"M. Venkatadri Sastri was Examiner in this Office for some 4 years under me. During this period he did his Kannada work thoroughly efficiently. He is a good kannada scholar and the author of many books and writes of a simple and chaste modern style in that language. He has just taken over for publication of a kannada journal. From what I know of his work, I can say that he is quite capable of running it himself. He deserves every support from lovers of kannada in his endeavours to popularise useful knowledge in this country. I wish him all success."

Sd. C. Hayavadana Rao,
Editor.

No. 53, Aralepet,
Bangalore City.

"Mr. Venkatadri Sastri acted as the Sub-Editor of the Vokkaligara Patrika for 7 months and carried on his work to my entire satisfaction. He is a good kannada scholar and has written many books in the kannada language. He is good, honest and obedient."

Sd. M. Subbiah,

Editor, Vokkaligara Patrika

Mysore Economic Journal.
Dated Bangalore 2.10.1920

"This is to certify that M. Venkatadri Sastry was employed in this office as Examiner on Rs. 30/ for over three years. He is a good Kannada Scholar and author of many novels and other publications. He writes an easy simple, talking style in kannada. He is thoroughly well acquainted with the work of a weekly journal. He can do every part of it to perfection. He has been regular and punctual in his attendance He has been of great use to me in conducting the "Arthasadhaka Patrike" during the part three years. He deserves every encouragement.

Sd. C. Hayavadana Rao,
Editor.

Bangalore,
Dated 2.12.16.

"I know Mr. Venkatadri Sastri; he worked under me in the Kolar District Office for a year and several months. He is a man of good character and conduct. He knows kannada well and can write very good kannada prose. I have read his translations of Bengali stories and they are excellently written. He has some experience of press work and would do well on the staff of a journal"

Sd. M. Venkatesa Iyengar,
Probationary Assistant Commissioner.

Kolar,
Dated 3.2.16.

"I know Mr. M. Venkatadri Sastri, clerk in the District Office, Kolar. I have read some of his kannada books, good little stories, translations of some of the best Bengali authors. These stories of Mr. Sastri's are written in a prose style that it is not easy to find in these days. It is most chaste kannada, not not unmixed with sanskrit but certainly none the worse for it the use of Sanskrit words being very temperate and exceedingly judicious, and in capacity for discription or narration hardly to be excelled. With the exception of a few books "Aryakirthi" for example and "Kavisamaya", there are not many in which the expression is so near the happy medium between the scholarly which is very highly mixed with sanskrit and the work a-day world kannada that would be best suited for modern needs.

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Mr. Venkatadri Sastri has taken great pains to acquire this style and his work is a real enriching of kannada literature. He deserves all possible encouragement from kannada people, and lovers of kannada, and any help given to him in furtherance of his literary efforts, would be help rendered towards the future greatness of the language.

Sd. M. Venkatesa Iyengar,
(Probationary Assistant Commissioner.)
Now Asst. Secy. to Govt.

Vepery, Madras,
18th August 1914.

Dear Sir, "I quite appreciate the wise discrimination you have exercised in selecting books from Bengali for translation into kannada. 'Sushrama' is very pathetic and brings a tear to the reader eyes when the story closes. Sarala is again a beautiful story with a happy ending. It very well illustrates some pleasing phases of Hindu domestic life and serves to encourage people to walk in the path of virtue at all times. Soudamini is awe.inspiring deductive story involving plots and counterplots hatched by powerful and unscrupulous persons, but withal showing that even theworst villains possess some lovable qualities which go to soften their otherwise inhuman careers. I observe that, unlike many other authors translating from the Bengali, you take pains to make your language simple, sweet and easily understood by all. Your style is all that is to be desired, both correct and powerful, and free from mannerisms. I have no doubt that in course of time you will stand in the first rank of kannada authors. "

Extract"

Sd. B. Rama Rao.
Kan. Translator to the
Govt of Madras.

Sri Krishna Sookti Office,
Udipi, dated 5th May 1922

" I have duly received your article and poems sent for publication. I am very glad to receive them. Indeed, they show that they are the best products of your erudition and scholar ship.

I shall be much obliged to you if you will kindly condescend to send me articles now and then, which I shall very gladly publish. I should also very much like you to send me any good novel, original or otherwise, for publication as a "Sookti" serial in separate paging.

(Sd) Rajagopala Krishna Rao.
Editor, Sri Krishna Sookti.

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CHIEF SECRETARY.
28 NOV 1924

K. Matthan Esq., B.A.
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dear Sir,

With reference to Government Notice No. G.O.156/G.M.31-24-6 dated the 1st November 1924, we beg to submit this our application for conducting the "Arthasadhaka Patrike" and in doing so we wish to state that prior to the advent of this Journal, there was the "Revenue and Agricultural Gazette" issued in Kannada every fortnight and we had the honour of conducting it for over a half dozen years. Subsequently, it was replaced by the Arthasadhaka Patrike, the same journal with a new name only and with some additional matters on general topics. We therefore wish to place before the Government for their kind perusal, a copy of the "Revenue and Agricultural Gazette" of the pre-Arthasadhaka Patrike days and trust that a comparison of the two Journals will convince the Government as to the utility of the old Journal to the Agricultural and general public. Having had wide experience in the line, we make bold to place the following proposals of

ours

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To

The Editor of Satyavadi,
Chamaraja Agrahar, Mysore.

Sir,

-G 39498 1-12-24

With reference to your letter No. 335 dated 19-11-1924 requesting information on certain points referred to therein regarding the Arthasadhakapatrike, I am directed to state as follows:-

(1) The period of contract is not fixed by Govt. The applicant may submit proposals in triplicate

(2) The Patrike should be devoted mainly to subjects of economic interests. ~~It may deal with literature etc., also~~.

(3) The Patrike should not discuss current politics.

(4) World news without comments may find a place in the Patrike.

(5),(6) and (7) As regards the size of the Patrike etc, the applicant may submit proposals.

(8) ~~Government advertisements may be sent~~ ~~but~~ Government cannot guarantee ~~any~~ minimum advertisements in the paper ~~minimum income~~.

(9) Postage will have to be paid for despatching the paper.

Yours faithfully,

Chief Secretary to Govt

B.K.M

Bg. 29th November 1924
Mysore

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To

The Chief Secretary to Govt of Mysore
Govt of Mysore

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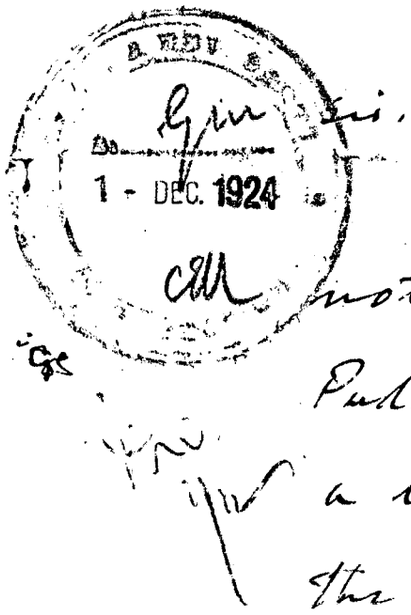

With reference to the Gazette notification regarding Arikasuda Pustika I request to be furnished a little more information as the notification does not say the lines in which the said journal has to be conducted. I am the editor of a Kannada monthly "Kannadigara Jana Deepika" which for the present is not published for want of financial sympathy. The journal was started to place in modern thoughts before the people & Thus minimise the difference between the Kannadiga knowing man & the illiterate man.

Thanking you
Yours sincerely,
B Narayanan

C/o: Dr Narayanan Esq B.A. L.L.B.
Ammabi
31. Subadar Chatram Road
Bangalore City

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Proceedings of the Government of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read:-

G.M. 31-24-43

Government Order No. G. 3156/G.M. 31-24-8 dated 1st November 1924 calling for applications from persons willing to undertake the publication of an Economic Journal in Kanada on the understanding that Government would subscribe for a certain number of copies of the journal.

Order No. G 5778-832

Dated Bangalore 29th January 1925.

In response to the Government Order -- read above applications have been received from 21 persons willing to undertake the publication of the paper. On a full consideration of all these applications Government are -- pleased to entrust the work of editing and publishing the Arthasadhakapatrike, to Mr.Hanumanthaiya Gowda, Editor Vokkaligara Patrike Bangalore City ~~on trial for a period of one year~~ on the following terms agreed to by him:-

(1) The journal should be a weekly one and ~~have~~ contain at least 8 pages (Demi folio) including advertisements.

(2) The annual subscription should not exceed Rs. 3/-

(3) Government will subscribe for 500 copies.

(4) The journal should be non-political and deal ~~only~~ mainly with economic matters -- relating to agriculture, education, industries and commerce, co-operation, civic and social progress etc.,

3. Mr. Hanumanthaiya Gowda will be requested to execute an agreement in these terms and the arrangement will come into effect from 15th February 1925.

4. The Heads of Departments concerned with the material and moral developments of the people, and the Secretaries to the Central Boards of the Economic Conference are requested to offer Mr. Hanumanthaiya Gowda every facility for the conduct of the paper and to supply information relating to the work of the Economic Conference.

5. All Officers of Government are requested to help the journal by contributing articles as far as possible and also send Government advertisements to the journal in the same way as to other newspapers.

27.1.25

Sd/- C. Hayg. Chief Secretary to Govt.

No. 26

The Heads of Departments.
Comptroller to Government. (through Financial Secty.)
Secretaries to Government.
Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
Secretary Economic Development Bd.
Copy to Hanumanthaiya Gowda, Editor Vommanigara Patrike, Bangalore City.

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Arthasadhaka Patrike

Under patronage of the Govt. of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

A Kannada weekly Journal dealing mainly with Economic matters relating to Agriculture, Education, Industries, Commerce, Co-operation, Civic and Social Progress, Etc.)

EDITOR :
B. HANUMANTAIYA GAUDE.

COTTONPET, BANGALORE CITY.
6th Feb 1925.

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G. D. SECTION

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The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of H.H. The Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

I beg to send, herewith, the draft of the agreement for favour of your kind perusal and necessary correction.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

B. Hanumantaiya Gaude

Editor.

Twelve Annas Stamped paper.

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Agreement made on the ninth day of February 1925, between the Govt of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore on the one part and Mr. B. Hanumantaiya Gaude, Editor, Vokkaligara patrike, residing at Basavangud Bangalore City on the other part.

No.

Whereas the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in their order No.....Dated..... have sancticned the publication of a Weekly Journal in Kannada called Arthasadhaka Patrike, and whereas the offer made by Mr.B.Hanumantaiya Gaude to conduct the Journal on the terms and conditions noted in Government order No.G.5778-832/G.M.31-24-43 dated the 29th January 19 has been accepted by the Government,

It is hereby agreed as follows:-

1. The editing and publishing of the Journal called Arthasadhaka Patrike be handed over to Mr.B.Hanumantaiya Gaude with effect from the 1st of March 1925.

2. The agreement will be in force for a period of one year in the first instance at the end of which the question of revising the terms will be considered if necessary.

3. The Journal should be a Weekly one and contain at least 8 pages (demy folio) of matter including advertisements.

4. The annual subscription should not exceed Rs.3/-.

5. The Government will subscribe for 500 copies at Rs. 3/-each and they will send their advertisements to the Journal.

6. The Journal should be non-political and deal mainly with Economic matters relating to Agriculture, Education, Industries and Commerce, Co-operation, Civic and Social Progress etc.

B.H. Gaude

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G. R. S. VI—G/32]

SUBJECT.....

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*Diary No. of letter replied to*_____

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 26/2/25

Signed by Mr. M.V.D

Section Gnr

File No.

Serial No.

No. G 6630

To Mr. B. Kanagaratnam Esqre.

Editor Vaalaiyar

Patrike

Colombo. Bambalapitiya

Sir,

With reference to your letter of 6.2.25 forwarding a copy of the O/L Agreement in connection with the Vaithiswara Patrike, I am directed to state that the O/L

over.

is revised & kept ready for
execution here — Am to request
you to kindly call ~~over here~~ (with 8as Stamped Paper)
at any time during Office hours
and draw up the agreement ~~in duplicate~~
as early as possible
Yours faithfully

For ea seeng

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List of enclosures.

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G. R. S. [VI—G/32]

SUBJECT 10/3

Diary No. of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 21/3/25

Signed by Mr. M.V.J

Section Gen.

File No. 31-24

Serial No. 51

No. 97468/Gen

To The Treasury Officer

State Huzur Treasury.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for safe custody a Sealed Cover Containing an agreement Executed by Mr. B. Hanumantaiya Garu Editor Vokkaligara Patrike pursuant to the ~~forma Conduct of~~ Arbitration ~~Kapatrike~~.

I have etc

~~over~~

for Secy

The Sealed Cover is posted. M 21/3

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An agreement made the 15th day of February one thousand nine hundred and twenty five between the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore represented by the Chief Secretary to Government of the one part and B.Hanumantaiya Gaude, Editor Vokkaligara Patrike residing at Basavangudi Bangalore City (herein-after called the Editor) of the other part.

Whereas Government in their order Number 4300-49 ~~5430-119~~/Ec. ~~10~~-16-8 dated the 8th December 1916 sanctioned the scheme for the publication of the Weekly edition of the Mysore Economic Journal in Kannada.

And whereas the arrangements previously made for the Editing and Management of the said Kannada Journal known as the -- "Arthasadhakapatrike" expired on 1st March 1924.

And whereas the Government desire that the Arthasadhaka-patrike which had been doing useful work should be continued.

And whereas the offer made by the Editor to conduct the Journal on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed has been accepted by the Government as per Government Order No.G. 5778-832/G.M. 31-24-43 dated 29th/30th January 1925.

Now It Is Hereby Agreed as follows:-

1. The Government Order No.G. 5778-832/G.M. 31-24-43 dated 29th/30th January 1925 shall read as a part of this -- agreement.

2. The Editing and Management of the Journal known as "Arthasadhakapatrike" is entrusted to the Editor and this shall be deemed to have taken effect from the 1st day of March 1925.

3. This agreement shall be in force for a period of one year from the date aforesaid subject to extension at the end of that term by mutual agreement and on terms to be decided upon at the time.

4. The Journal shall be a Weekly one and contain at least 8 pages (Demi Folio) of matter including advertisements.

5. The annual subscription shall not exceed Rs. 3/- per copy.

6. The Editor undertakes not to publish articles involving criticisms of the policy of Government, both local and Imperial or on other delicate questions without previously obtaining the approval of Government. The Journal shall be non-political and deal mainly with economic matters relating to Agriculture, Education, Industries and Commerce, Co-operation, Civic and Social Progress etc.,

7. In consideration of the Editor undertaking the publication of the Journal subject to the terms and conditions detailed herein, the Government agree to subscribe for 500 copies of the Journal at the rate of subscription fixed under clause 5 above subject strictly to the condition that the Editor shall make all reasonable and necessary efforts to popularise the Journal and to promote the success and reputation of the same and shall carry out such improvements as may be suggested to the Editor by Government from time to time.

8. The Editor undertakes to conduct the Journal by obtaining accurate and authentic information upon all matters and questions dealt with in the Journal.

In Witness whereof, the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands, the day and year first above written.

Witnesses (Signature of the parties)

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STATE HUZUR TREASURY,

Bangalore, dated 21st March 1925.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore

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Has the honour to acknowledge the receipt of the undermentioned documents received with his letter No. G.7468 dated 21st March 1925. G.M.31-24-33 Safe custody Register no: 383.

Officer in charge, State Huzur Treasury.

1) one sealed cover said to contain an Agreement executed by Mr. B. Hanumantaiya Gande, Editor, Vokkaligara Patrika, re: publication of "Arthasadhaka Patrike".

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.